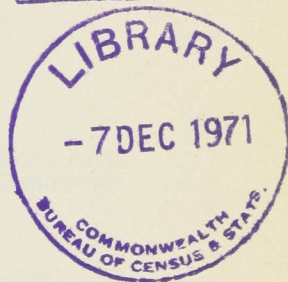


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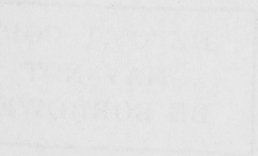
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BUILDING STATISTICS

Tables in this section show details of building operations in Western Australia. Statistics for each series *ab initio* appeared in Part XII of the *Statistical Register of Western Australia* for 1965-66. For additional information concerning building activity in Western Australia and for comprehensive data relating to other States and Territories and Australia as a whole, reference should be made to the publication *Building and Construction* published annually by the Commonwealth Statistician, Canberra.

The Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics, Canberra publishes current building statistics in the monthly statement *Building Approvals* and the *Quarterly Bulletin of Building Statistics* and, in summary form, in the *Monthly Review of Business Statistics*, the *Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics* and the monthly *Digest of Current Economic Statistics*. The Western Australian Office of the Bureau publishes similar information for Western Australia in the monthly release *Building Permits and Approvals*, the quarterly statements *Building Operations* and *Number of New Houses and Flats (preliminary estimates)*, the *Monthly Statistical Summary* and the *Quarterly Statistical Abstract*.

SCOPE OF THE STATISTICS

Since the end of the second World War, the Australian Statisticians have undertaken a quarterly collection of statistics of building operations. The first of these collections in Western Australia related to the quarter ended 30 September 1945.

The survey covers the activities of building contractors who undertake the construction of new buildings; the building operations of Commonwealth, State, semi-government and local government authorities; and work performed by 'owner-builders' (see definition *Owner-built* on page 5). Minor alterations and/or additions, private outbuildings (garages, carports, etc.), repairs and renovations, and temporary buildings are excluded. The figures relate only to the erection of buildings, as distinct from the construction of railways, bridges, earthworks, etc.

In general, building operations may be undertaken only after the issue of a permit by the local government authority concerned. There are, however, in some Shires outside the Perth Statistical Division, areas where this condition does not apply. Details of building operations obtained from government authorities and from building contractors refer to all areas whereas details for 'owner-builders' cover only the areas subject to building control by local government authorities. The omission of the activities of 'owner-builders' in areas not subject to local government authority control does not materially affect the statistics.

EXPLANATORY NOTES AND DEFINITIONS

Building Permits and Approvals. Statistics of building permits and approvals are compiled from:

- (a) building permits issued by local government authorities in respect of *areas subject to building control*, and

- (b) contracts let, work commenced or work authorised by government, semi-government and local government authorities *throughout the whole State*.

Private or Government Ownership. A building is classified as 'Private' or 'Government' according to ownership at time of commencement. Thus 'Government' includes buildings erected for Commonwealth and State Governments, semi-government and local government authorities, either by contractors or by day labour, whether these buildings are for their own use or for rental or sale after completion. Buildings erected for private ownership, or which are financed or supervised by government authorities but erected for *particular persons*, are classified as 'Private'.

Alterations and Additions. Prior to 1 July 1966, additions valued at \$10,000 or more to buildings other than houses were classified as 'new' buildings. From 1 July 1966, alterations and/or additions valued at \$10,000 or more to existing buildings of all types have been included as 'new' buildings. The total value of alterations and additions of less than \$10,000 is shown separately in Tables 1 and 2 relative to building permits and approvals.

Houses and Flats. The numbers shown relate to individual houses and flats, constructed as separate living units. Temporary dwellings, sheds, huts, etc. are excluded. Figures for flats include 'home units'. Dwellings attached to other new buildings are not included in the *numbers* shown, but their *value* is included with that of the buildings to which they are attached.

Commenced. A building is regarded as having been commenced when work on foundations has begun. Owing to the difficulty of defining the exact point that this represents in building operations, classifications made by informants may not be entirely uniform. A building is reported *once only* as having been commenced, whether or not work has actually proceeded at all times during its construction.

Completed. A building is regarded as having been completed when the building contractor has fulfilled the terms of the contract or, in the case of owner-built houses, when the house is either completed, or substantially completed and occupied. The value shown is that of the building as a finished project. As with commencements, the classifications made by informants may not be entirely uniform.

Under Construction (i.e. Unfinished). A building is regarded as being under construction if it has been commenced but not completed, whether or not work on the building is actively proceeding. Buildings on which work has been permanently abandoned are excluded.

Owner-built. An owner-built house is one actually erected or being erected by the owner or under the owner's direction without the services of a contractor responsible for the whole job.

Contract-built. Includes the operations of all building contractors and government authorities who undertake the erection of new buildings.

Values. Values are the estimated values of new buildings as finished projects (i.e. value when completed) and exclude the value of the land.

Value of Work Done. The values shown in Table 17 represent the estimated value of work actually carried out on buildings during each year (i.e. on buildings completed and under construction). For any building, the sum of these values obtained during its construction equals the value of the building on completion. Data relating to the value of work done on owner-built houses (see definition *Owner-built* above) are not collected. However, the figures shown for the value of work done include a component relating to owner-built houses, calculated on the basis of the figures collected for the value of such houses, commenced, completed, and under construction.

Type of Building. A building is classified according to the function which it is intended to serve. A building which is ancillary to other buildings or forms part of a group of related buildings is classified according to the major function of the group as a whole. Examples of the types of individual buildings included under each main functional heading are shown below.

Hotels, hostels, etc. includes motels, boarding houses and guest-houses.

Shops includes cafes, restaurants, retail markets and showrooms.

Factories includes abattoirs, bakeries, gas works, power houses, printing offices and government workshops.

Office premises includes banks, insurance offices, government offices, municipal chambers and post offices.

Other business premises includes railway station buildings, bus depots, service stations, telephone exchanges, broadcasting and television stations and studios, and warehouses.

Education includes schools, colleges, kindergartens, reference libraries and university buildings.

Religion includes churches, church halls, convents, seminaries and theological colleges.

Health includes ambulance stations, infant health centres, convalescent homes, hospitals, nurses' quarters and sanatoria.

Entertainment and recreation includes clubs, grand stands, public halls, squash courts and theatres.

Miscellaneous includes museums, art galleries, homes for the aged, benevolent homes, orphanages, defence buildings, law courts, police stations and reformatories.

Persons Working on Buildings. The figures appearing in Table 18 relate to persons working on the jobs of contractors who undertake the erection of new buildings and of government authorities which erect new buildings on their own account. They include persons actually engaged on alterations, additions, repairs and maintenance when these jobs are undertaken by such contractors and authorities.

The figures for employment exclude those working on owner-built houses. Employees of builders who undertake only alterations, additions, repairs and maintenance are also excluded.

Informants are asked to give details of all persons working on their jobs on a specified day, including working principals, men working as or for sub-contractors, and men temporarily laid off on account of weather. Because of the intermittent employment of various types of sub-contractors on any particular job, it is sometimes difficult for informants to provide precise particulars of the number of sub-contractors and the number of employees of sub-contractors working on their jobs on the specified day. This factor may cause some understatement in the figures shown. In other cases, because of frequent movement between jobs of some types of tradesmen, such as electricians, who may work on several jobs on the one day, some duplication may occur.

Local Government Areas. Local government areas in Western Australia are designated Cities, Towns and Shires. In all tables where a dissection according to local government area appears, Cities are marked (C) and Towns (T). The names and designations shown in the Tables are those which were current at 30 June 1970.

Particulars of the numbers of houses completed in individual local government areas are available from 1947-48. A table showing completions in each year from 1947-48 to 1954-55 appears on pages 35-7 of Part XII of the *Statistical Register of Western Australia* for 1954-55. Completions in later years are shown in the corresponding table in succeeding issues or in *Building and Housing*.

Statistics of flats completed in local government areas are available from 1954-55 and are given for each year up to 1965-66 in Tables 35 and 36 of the 1965-66 issue of Part XII. Later statistics of completions appear in Part XII for 1967-68 or in *Building and Housing*.

No. 1—Building Permits and Approvals

Period	PERMITS AND APPROVALS FOR—									ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS
	NEW BUILDINGS									
	Houses and flats				Other new buildings		Total			
	Perth Statistical Division		Western Australia		Perth Statistical Division	Western Australia	Perth Statistical Division	Western Australia	Western Australia	
	Number	Value \$'000	Number	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	
FOR PRIVATE OWNERSHIP										
Year—										
1966	6,735	51,208	8,333	65,626	24,842	32,188	76,050	97,814	9,715	
1967	9,186	72,080	11,294	96,341	42,133	52,701	114,213	149,042	10,619	
1968	13,200	113,764	16,331	151,582	37,758	54,374	151,522	205,956	12,219	
1969	16,077	147,996	19,458	189,371	77,903	99,558	225,899	288,929	13,963	
1970	8,673	94,305	12,353	149,916	80,232	115,718	174,537	265,634	14,737	
Quarter—										
1969—										
March	3,867	33,634	4,436	39,397	18,682	21,353	52,316	60,750	3,164	
June	4,203	38,698	4,897	45,953	21,806	28,793	60,504	74,746	3,629	
Sept.	4,457	41,398	5,678	57,698	11,133	18,565	52,531	76,263	3,572	
Dec.	3,550	34,266	4,447	46,323	26,282	30,847	60,548	77,170	3,598	
1970—										
March	2,971	30,912	4,324	53,627	13,060	20,764	43,972	74,391	3,270	
June	2,061	22,250	3,180	40,138	23,024	30,872	45,274	71,010	3,576	
Sept.	1,862	20,930	2,347	26,386	17,505	27,761	38,435	54,147	3,754	
Dec.	1,779	20,213	2,502	29,765	26,643	36,321	46,856	66,086	4,137	
FOR GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP										
Year—										
1966	858	4,962	1,707	12,935	20,254	27,868	25,216	40,803	436	
1967	965	6,328	1,841	14,290	23,228	33,052	29,556	47,342	499	
1968	971	7,196	1,668	13,793	33,736	47,635	40,932	61,428	574	
1969	2,816	21,396	3,434	28,787	29,185	44,444	50,581	73,231	386	
1970	2,287	16,972	3,128	28,390	42,067	55,806	59,039	84,196	498	
Quarter—										
1969—										
March	567	4,361	677	5,565	9,819	12,089	14,180	17,654	93	
June	588	4,166	760	6,305	7,115	12,191	11,281	18,496	131	
Sept.	829	6,452	981	8,438	7,952	13,077	14,404	21,515	82	
Dec.	832	6,417	1,016	8,479	4,299	7,087	10,716	15,566	80	
1970—										
March	355	2,760	541	5,359	18,833	21,231	21,593	26,590	98	
June	377	3,101	470	4,706	9,085	13,470	12,186	18,176	151	
Sept.	882	6,075	1,181	10,135	5,938	9,843	12,013	19,978	183	
Dec.	673	5,036	936	8,190	8,211	11,262	13,247	19,452	66	
TOTAL										
Year—										
1966	7,593	56,170	10,040	78,561	45,096	60,056	101,266	138,617	10,151	
1967	10,151	78,408	13,135	110,631	65,361	85,753	143,769	196,384	11,118	
1968	14,171	120,960	17,999	165,375	71,494	102,009	192,454	267,384	12,793	
1969	18,893	169,392	22,892	218,158	107,088	144,002	276,480	362,160	14,349	
1970	10,960	111,277	15,481	178,306	122,299	171,524	233,576	349,830	15,235	
Quarter—										
1969—										
March	4,434	37,995	5,113	44,962	28,501	33,442	66,496	78,404	3,257	
June	4,791	42,864	5,657	52,258	28,921	40,984	71,785	93,242	3,760	
Sept.	5,286	47,850	6,659	66,136	19,085	31,642	66,935	97,778	3,654	
Dec.	4,382	40,683	5,463	54,802	30,581	37,934	71,264	92,736	3,678	
1970—										
March	3,326	33,672	4,865	58,986	31,893	41,995	65,565	100,981	3,368	
June	2,438	25,351	3,650	44,844	32,109	44,342	57,460	89,186	3,727	
Sept.	2,744	27,005	3,528	36,521	23,443	37,604	50,448	74,125	3,937	
Dec.	2,452	25,249	3,438	37,955	34,854	47,583	60,103	85,538	4,203	

No. 2—Building Permits and Approvals: Statistical Divisions and Local Government Areas
Year ended 30 June 1970

Statistical Division and local government area	PERMITS AND APPROVALS FOR—									
	NEW BUILDINGS							ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS		
	Houses and flats			Other new buildings		Total				
	Private		Government		Private	Government	Private	Government	Private	Government
	Number	Value \$'000	Number	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION—										
Armadale-Kelmscott	665	6,626	....	....	546	953	7,172	953	255	2
Bassendean	115	1,065	1	8	83	615	1,148	623	121	12
Bayswater	513	5,122	1	17	1,754	403	6,876	420	501	....
Belmont	317	3,102	2	19	5,000	2,007	8,102	2,026	508	2
Canning	463	5,209	504	3,861	4,424	954	9,633	4,815	643	....
Claremont (T)	236	3,347	....	....	1,802	84	5,149	84	160	6
Cockburn	580	4,753	257	2,009	2,835	429	7,588	2,438	375	....
Cottesloe (T)	79	1,096	....	....	604	133	1,700	133	148	....
East Fremantle (T)	173	1,710	....	....	53	604	1,763	604	77	1
Fremantle (C)	206	1,565	54	420	2,265	1,176	3,830	1,596	289	4
Gosnells	894	8,514	3	30	836	1,076	9,350	1,106	347	25
Kalamunda	501	6,542	....	....	854	1,726	7,396	1,726	374	10
Kwinana	426	4,360	199	1,649	753	745	5,113	2,394	134	....
Melville (C)	437	5,727	....	....	794	656	6,521	656	1,131	15
Mosman Park (T)	254	2,568	69	602	237	....	2,805	602	84	....
Mundaring	294	3,311	....	....	153	97	3,464	97	204	....
Nedlands (C)	209	2,126	....	....	706	4,326	2,832	4,326	611	17
Peppermint Grove	13	299	....	....	....	....	299	....	45	....
Perth (C)	1,227	11,768	5	39	37,848	17,838	49,616	17,877	1,595	48
Perth	3,383	30,997	596	4,518	4,584	2,689	35,581	7,207	2,252	36
Rockingham	539	5,172	61	429	809	909	5,981	1,338	172	8
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	21	226	2	18	2	15	228	33	10	....
South Perth (C)	615	4,678	....	....	2,151	782	6,829	782	451	3
Subiaco (C)	96	710	....	....	2,311	1,274	3,021	1,274	166	4
Swan (a)	204	2,154	616	4,893	1,685	424	3,839	5,317	289	16
Wanneroo	579	6,079	23	219	410	254	6,489	473	156	17
Total	13,039	128,826	2,393	18,731	73,499	40,169	202,325	58,900	11,098	226
OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS—										
South-West Division	983	9,324	92	797	4,432	3,490	13,756	4,287	1,036	17
Southern Agricultural Division	295	3,316	46	532	2,753	1,080	6,069	1,612	402	45
Central Agricultural Division	187	2,325	103	1,125	1,767	3,072	4,092	4,197	342	26
Northern Agricultural Division	505	4,611	107	1,083	1,637	1,095	6,248	2,178	518	31
Eastern Goldfields Division	482	5,401	68	796	3,192	2,176	8,593	2,972	449	38
Central Division	589	12,301	4	48	1,936	40	14,237	88	....	....
North-West Division	144	2,652	51	926	1,262	1,570	3,914	2,496	76	3
Pilbara Division	1,387	28,811	113	2,404	9,390	1,640	38,201	4,044	44	15
Kimberley Division	18	219	31	540	1,180	533	1,399	1,073	51	10
Total	4,590	68,960	615	8,251	27,549	14,696	96,509	22,947	2,918	185
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	17,629	197,786	3,008	26,982	101,048	54,865	298,834	81,847	14,016	411

(a) The Town of Midland was united with the Shire of Swan-Guildford to form one municipality named the Shire of Swan, with effect from 1 April 1970.

No. 3—New Houses and Flats: Numbers Commenced, Completed and Under Construction

Year	Commencements			Completions			Under construction (a)		
	Houses	Flats	Houses and flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and flats
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION									
1960-61	4,226	351	4,577	4,502	431	4,933	2,077	143	2,220
1961-62	4,730	461	5,191	4,471	261	4,732	2,336	343	2,679
1962-63	4,671	848	5,519	4,997	611	5,608	2,010	580	2,590
1963-64	5,536	1,710	7,246	5,473	1,260	6,733	2,073	1,030	3,103
1964-65	5,395	1,650	7,045	5,473	1,765	7,238	1,995	915	2,910
1965-66	5,003	1,489	6,492	5,098	1,585	6,683	1,899	819	2,718
1966-67	5,741	2,332	8,073	5,330	1,634	6,964	2,310	1,517	3,827
1967-68	8,182	2,889	11,071	6,812	2,262	9,074	3,673	2,144	5,817
1968-69	10,107	5,122	15,229	9,246	3,172	12,418	4,515	4,094	8,609
1969-70	9,197	5,464	14,661	10,463	5,251	15,714	3,213	4,293	7,506

OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS

1960-61	1,467	7	1,474	1,471	9	1,480	939	8	947
1961-62	1,586	32	1,618	1,611	4	1,615	914	36	950
1962-63	1,551	28	1,579	1,596	31	1,627	869	33	902
1963-64	1,784	33	1,817	1,803	35	1,838	850	31	881
1964-65	2,072	80	2,152	1,972	76	2,048	950	35	985
1965-66	2,574	61	2,635	2,167	39	2,206	1,358	57	1,415
1966-67	2,798	123	2,921	2,942	108	3,050	1,214	72	1,286
1967-68	3,290	283	3,573	3,046	130	3,176	1,450	225	1,675
1968-69	3,741	244	3,985	3,594	319	3,913	1,589	143	1,732
1969-70	3,802	375	4,177	3,470	345	3,815	1,902	173	2,075

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1960-61	5,693	358	6,051	5,973	440	6,413	3,016	151	3,167
1961-62	6,316	493	6,809	6,082	265	6,347	3,250	379	3,629
1962-63	6,222	876	7,098	6,593	642	7,235	2,879	613	3,492
1963-64	7,320	1,743	9,063	7,276	1,295	8,571	2,923	1,061	3,984
1964-65	7,467	1,730	9,197	7,445	1,841	9,286	2,945	950	3,895
1965-66	7,577	1,550	9,127	7,265	1,624	8,889	3,257	876	4,133
1966-67	8,539	2,455	10,994	8,272	1,742	10,014	3,524	1,589	5,113
1967-68	11,472	3,172	14,644	9,858	2,392	12,250	5,123	2,369	7,492
1968-69	13,848	5,366	19,214	12,840	3,491	16,331	6,104	4,237	10,341
1969-70	12,999	5,839	18,838	13,933	5,596	19,529	5,115	4,466	9,581

(a) At end of year.

No. 4—Number of New Houses Completed: Material of Outer Walls

Year	Cavity brick, concrete, stone	Brick veneer	Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	Asbestos-cement	Other	Total
1960-61	4,475		13	1,462	23	5,973
1961-62	3,352	1,134	79	1,427	90	6,082
1962-63	3,883	1,339	52	1,302	17	6,593
1963-64	4,369	1,370	34	1,463	40	7,276
1964-65	4,599	1,272	27	1,454	93	7,445
1965-66	4,213	1,410	19	1,556	67	7,265
1966-67	5,203	1,133	21	1,789	126	8,272
1967-68	6,681	1,163	24	1,944	46	9,858
1968-69	8,804	1,638	11	2,335	52	12,840
1969-70	10,491	1,339	27	2,054	22	13,933

No. 5—Number of New Houses by Material of Outer Walls, and Flats

Type of building	Perth Statistical Division			Western Australia		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
COMMENCED						
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	7,045	9,266	8,375	7,602	9,993	9,124
Brick veneer	986	650	620	1,643	1,442	1,901
Asbestos-cement	147	183	193	2,162	2,338	1,895
Wood and other	4	8	9	65	75	79
Total, Houses	8,182	10,107	9,197	11,472	13,848	12,999
Flats	2,889	5,122	5,464	3,172	5,366	5,839
Total, Houses and Flats	11,071	15,229	14,661	14,644	19,214	18,838
COMPLETED						
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	6,131	8,228	9,530	6,681	8,804	10,491
Brick veneer	532	831	702	1,163	1,638	1,339
Asbestos-cement	147	181	223	1,944	2,335	2,054
Wood and other	2	6	8	70	63	49
Total, Houses	6,812	9,246	10,463	9,858	12,840	13,933
Flats	2,262	3,172	5,251	2,392	3,491	5,596
Total, Houses and Flats	9,074	12,418	15,714	12,250	16,331	19,529
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD						
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	2,834	3,857	2,640	3,138	4,311	2,959
Brick veneer	719	538	489	1,013	788	1,296
Asbestos-cement	117	116	80	957	979	806
Wood and other	3	4	4	15	26	54
Total, Houses	3,673	4,515	3,213	5,123	6,104	5,115
Flats	2,144	4,094	4,293	2,369	4,237	4,466
Total, Houses and Flats	5,817	8,609	7,506	7,492	10,341	9,581

No. 6—Number of New Houses Completed: Type of Builder and Ownership

Year	Owner-built	Contract-built			All houses
	Private	Private	Government (a)	Total (a)	
1960-61	976	3,725	1,272	4,997	5,973
1961-62	1,073	3,605	1,404	5,009	6,082
1962-63	932	3,911	1,750	5,661	6,593
1963-64	934	4,396	1,946	6,342	7,276
1964-65	1,049	4,563	1,833	6,396	7,445
1965-66	983	4,245	2,037	6,282	7,265
1966-67	874	5,802	1,596	7,398	8,272
1967-68	1,048	7,485	1,325	8,810	9,858
1968-69	1,224	9,783	1,833	11,616	12,840
1969-70	1,498	10,886	1,549	12,435	13,933

(a) Includes houses built by government instrumentalities with day labour.

No. 7—Number of New Houses and Flats: Type of Builder and Ownership

Particulars	Perth Statistical Division			Western Australia		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
COMMENCED						
Houses—						
Contract-built—						
Government (a)	1,169	847	1,095	1,926	1,626	1,727
Private	6,448	8,599	7,537	8,356	10,838	9,989
Total, Contract-built	7,617	9,446	8,632	10,282	12,464	11,716
Owner-built (private)	565	661	565	1,190	1,384	1,283
Total, Houses	8,182	10,107	9,197	11,472	13,848	12,999
Flats—						
Government	122	649	1,247	122	683	1,247
Private	2,767	4,473	4,217	3,050	4,683	4,592
Total, Flats	2,889	5,122	5,464	3,172	5,366	5,839
Houses and Flats—						
Government	1,291	1,496	2,342	2,048	2,309	2,974
Private	9,780	13,733	12,319	12,596	16,905	15,864
Total, Houses and Flats	11,071	15,229	14,661	14,644	19,214	18,838

COMPLETED

Houses—						
Contract-built—						
Government (a)	609	1,079	902	1,325	1,833	1,549
Private	5,738	7,585	8,870	7,485	9,783	10,886
Total, Contract-built	6,347	8,664	9,772	8,810	11,616	12,435
Owner-built (private)	465	582	691	1,048	1,224	1,498
Total, Houses	6,812	9,246	10,463	9,858	12,840	13,933
Flats—						
Government	10	142	659	10	154	681
Private	2,252	3,030	4,592	2,382	3,337	4,915
Total, Flats	2,262	3,172	5,251	2,392	3,491	5,596
Houses and Flats—						
Government	619	1,221	1,561	1,335	1,987	2,230
Private	8,455	11,197	14,153	10,915	14,344	17,299
Total, Houses and Flats	9,074	12,418	15,714	12,250	16,331	19,529

UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD

Houses—						
Contract-built—						
Government (a)	877	645	848	1,197	991	1,187
Private	2,357	3,375	2,025	2,945	4,007	3,086
Total, Contract-built	3,234	4,020	2,873	4,142	4,998	4,273
Owner-built (private)	439	495	340	981	1,106	842
Total, Houses	3,673	4,515	3,213	5,123	6,104	5,115
Flats—						
Government	122	629	1,209	122	651	1,209
Private	2,022	3,465	3,084	2,247	3,586	3,257
Total, Flats	2,144	4,094	4,293	2,369	4,237	4,466
Houses and Flats—						
Government	999	1,274	2,057	1,319	1,642	2,396
Private	4,818	7,335	5,449	6,173	8,699	7,185
Total, Houses and Flats	5,817	8,609	7,506	7,492	10,341	9,581

(a) Includes houses built by government instrumentalities with day labour.

No. 8—Number of New Houses and Flats Completed: Ownership

Year	Private ownership			Government ownership			Total		
	Houses	Flats	Houses and flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and flats
1960-61	4,701	401	5,102	1,272	39	1,311	5,973	440	6,413
1961-62	4,678	241	4,919	1,404	24	1,428	6,082	265	6,347
1962-63	4,843	642	5,485	1,750	....	1,750	6,593	642	7,235
1963-64	5,330	1,221	6,551	1,946	74	2,020	7,276	1,295	8,571
1964-65	5,612	1,826	7,438	1,833	15	1,848	7,445	1,841	9,286
1965-66	5,228	1,547	6,775	2,037	77	2,114	7,265	1,624	8,889
1966-67	6,676	1,730	8,406	1,596	12	1,608	8,272	1,742	10,014
1967-68	8,533	2,382	10,915	1,325	10	1,335	9,858	2,392	12,250
1968-69	11,007	3,337	14,344	1,833	154	1,987	12,840	3,491	16,331
1969-70	12,384	4,915	17,299	1,549	681	2,230	13,933	5,596	19,529

No. 9—Number of New Houses and Flats Completed: Statistical Divisions and Local Government Areas

Local government area	Houses			Flats			Houses and flats		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Armadaale-Kelmscott	363	453	736	2	36	76	365	489	812
Bassendean	76	189	138	....	12	....	76	201	138
Bayswater	498	670	543	....	7	....	498	677	543
Belmont	277	399	493	51	213	86	328	612	579
Canning	573	697	667	39	60	10	612	757	677
Claremont (T)	16	28	40	57	162	20	73	190	60
Cockburn	500	670	485	....	118	283	500	788	768
Cottesloe (T)	17	39	36	9	4	26	26	43	62
East Fremantle (T)	12	12	21	79	80	32	91	92	53
Fremantle (C)	70	78	80	63	198	131	133	276	211
Gosnells	553	657	928	12	18	8	565	675	936
Kalamunda	466	549	570	....	9	16	466	558	586
Kwinana	345	229	569	....	24	146	345	253	715
Melville (C)	442	605	545	127	32	....	569	637	545
Mosman Park (T)	13	15	16	105	277	328	118	292	344
Mundaring	137	227	324	....	....	....	137	227	324
Nedlands (C)	21	47	42	11	....	....	32	47	42
Peppermint Grove	7	5	11	....	....	....	7	5	11
Perth (C)	205	199	234	552	738	1,231	757	937	1,465
Perth	1,523	2,307	2,483	742	739	1,944	2,265	3,046	4,427
Rockingham	275	563	546	41	177	223	316	740	769
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	7	20	23	....	....	....	7	20	23
South Perth (C)	46	52	122	124	18	482	170	70	604
Subiaco (C)	21	34	55	248	212	108	269	246	163
Swan (a)	207	256	446	....	30	82	207	286	528
Wanneroo	142	246	310	....	8	19	142	254	329
Total	6,812	9,246	10,463	2,262	3,172	5,251	9,074	12,418	15,714
SOUTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Augusta-Margaret River	29	20	42	....	....	....	29	20	42
Boddington	2	1	5	....	....	....	2	1	5
Boyup Brook (b)	8	10	11	....	....	....	8	10	11
Bridgetown-Greenbushes (c)	12	13	7	....	....	....	12	13	7
Bunbury (T)	206	132	173	28	28	37	234	160	210
Busselton	110	119	120	13	....	....	123	119	120
Capel	17	21	16	....	....	....	17	21	16
Collie	3	7	8	....	....	....	3	7	8
Dardanup	30	34	33	....	....	....	30	34	33
Donnybrook (d)	18	13	11	....	....	....	18	13	11
Harvey	54	67	55	....	....	....	54	67	55
Mandurah	223	281	323	16	8	8	239	289	331
Manjimup	35	46	40	....	14	....	35	60	40
Murray	60	60	117	....	....	....	60	60	117
Nannup	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1
Waroona	13	10	11	....	....	....	13	10	11
Total	820	834	973	57	50	45	877	884	1,018
SOUTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Albany (T)	93	140	125	12	30	31	105	170	156
Albany	74	72	96	....	....	....	74	72	96
Broomehill	6	2	....	....	....	....	6	2	....
Cranbrook	11	10	7	....	....	....	11	10	7
Denmark	19	18	20	....	....	....	19	18	20
Dumbleyung	....	4	2	....	....	....	....	4	2
Gnowangerup	36	27	27	....	....	....	36	27	27
Katanning	16	23	22	10	4	....	26	27	22
Kojonup	21	17	4	....	....	....	21	17	4
Lake Grace	13	20	13	....	....	....	13	20	13
Nyabing-Pingrup	9	4	11	....	....	....	9	4	11
Plantagenet	17	13	12	....	....	....	17	13	12
Tambellup	8	4	3	....	....	....	8	4	3
Wagin	25	24	15	....	4	....	25	28	15
West Arthur	6	5	6	....	....	....	6	5	6
Woodanilling	5	1	2	....	....	....	5	1	2
Total	359	384	365	22	38	31	381	422	396

For footnotes, see end of table.

**No. 9—Number of New Houses and Flats Completed: Statistical Divisions
and Local Government Areas—continued**

Local government area	Houses			Flats			Houses and flats		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70

CENTRAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION

Beverley	10	9	6	....	....	....	10	9	6
Brookton.....	15	8	7	....	....	....	15	8	7
Bruce Rock	7	6	7	....	....	....	7	6	7
Corrigin	14	11	11	....	....	....	14	11	11
Cuballing	1	1	2	....	....	....	1	1	2
Cunderdin	25	55	26	....	....	....	25	55	26
Dowerin	7	12	5	....	....	....	7	12	5
Goomalling	9	15	4	....	....	....	9	15	4
Kellerberrin	10	4	3	....	....	....	10	4	3
Kondinin.....	11	10	13	....	....	....	11	10	13
Koorda	6	17	7	....	....	....	6	17	7
Kulin	13	12	3	....	....	....	13	12	3
Merredin	41	58	34	....	20	....	41	78	34
Mount Marshall	15	12	5	....	....	....	15	12	5
Mukinbudin	15	20	11	....	....	....	15	20	11
Narembeen	13	7	8	....	....	....	13	7	8
Narrogin (T)	20	30	33	....	....	....	20	30	33
Narrogin	6	4	4	....	....	....	6	4	4
Northam (T)	18	31	48	8	....	....	26	31	48
Northam	8	6	11	....	....	....	8	6	11
Nungarin.....	5	4	1	....	....	....	5	4	1
Pingelly	21	10	6	....	....	....	21	10	6
Quairading	16	9	6	....	4	....	16	13	6
Tammin	8	1	8	....	....	....	8	1	8
Toodyay	4	4	11	....	....	....	4	4	11
Trayning	9	10	3	....	....	....	9	10	3
Wandering	4	5	2	....	....	....	4	5	2
Westonia	8	3	3	....	....	....	8	3	3
Wickepin	4	10	9	....	....	....	4	10	9
Williams	10	9	18	....	....	....	10	9	18
Wyalkatchem	11	7	4	....	....	....	11	7	4
York	3	7	12	....	....	....	3	7	12
Total	367	407	331	8	24	....	375	431	331

NORTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION

Carnamah	12	9	6	....	....	....	12	9	6
Chapman Valley	11	16	6	....	....	....	11	16	6
Chittering	4	4	1	....	....	....	4	4	1
Coorow	15	15	20	....	....	....	15	15	20
Dalwallinu	29	41	19	....	....	....	29	41	19
Dandaragan	19	51	52	....	....	....	19	51	52
Geraldton (T)	178	237	232	28	27	51	206	264	283
Gingin	41	67	101	3	6	21	44	73	122
Greenough	18	54	42	....	....	....	18	54	42
Irwin	8	11	27	....	....	....	8	11	27
Mingenew	10	15	8	....	....	....	10	15	8
Moora	24	25	18	....	....	5	24	25	23
Morawa	19	9	17	....	....	....	19	9	17
Mullewa	20	21	14	....	....	....	20	21	14
Northampton	37	39	35	....	....	....	37	39	35
Perenjori	16	11	7	....	....	....	16	11	7
Three Springs	9	12	7	....	....	....	9	12	7
Victoria Plains	18	7	7	....	....	....	18	7	7
Wongan-Ballidu.....	25	15	18	....	....	....	25	15	18
Total	513	659	637	31	33	77	544	692	714

EASTERN GOLDFIELDS STATISTICAL DIVISION

Boulder (e)	28	58	47	....	....	....	28	58	47
Coolgardie	114	196	244	....	19	42	114	215	286
Dundas	4	5	5	....	....	....	4	5	5
Esperance	172	169	140	12	19	14	184	188	154
Laverton	10	28	20	....	8	....	10	36	20
Leonora	1	1	2	....	....	....	1	1	2
Menzies	18	15	19	....	....	....	18	15	19
Ravensthorpe	34	17	8	....	....	....	34	17	8
Yilgarn .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total	382	489	486	12	46	56	394	535	542

For footnotes, see end of table.

**No. 9—Number of New Houses and Flats Completed: Statistical Divisions
and Local Government Areas—continued**

Local government area	Houses			Flats			Houses and flats		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70

CENTRAL STATISTICAL DIVISION

Cue	1	1	....	....	....	....	1	1	....
Meekatharra	9	11	9	....	....	....	9	11	9
Mount Magnet .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Murchison	1	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	2
Sandstone .....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....
Wiluna .....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	3
Yalgoo .....	....	1	2	....	....	....	....	1	2
Total	11	14	16	....	....	....	11	14	16

NORTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION

Ashburton	2	7	2	....	....	....	2	7	2
Carnarvon	87	41	88	....	8	....	87	49	88
Exmouth	13	5	44	....	....	....	13	5	44
Shark Bay	8	7	12	....	....	....	8	7	12
Upper Gascoyne .....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....
Total	110	61	146	....	8	....	110	69	146

PILBARA STATISTICAL DIVISION

Marble Bar	11	5	5	....	....	....	11	5	5
Nullagine	30	70	85	....	....	64	30	70	149
Port Hedland	153	146	188	....	....	72	153	146	260
Roebourne	177	104	18	....	120	....	177	224	18
Tableland	52	298	120	....	....	....	52	298	120
Total	423	623	416	....	120	136	423	743	552

KIMBERLEY STATISTICAL DIVISION

Broome	10	29	10	....	....	....	10	29	10
Halls Creek .....	....	6	3	....	....	....	....	6	3
West Kimberley	13	46	44	....	....	....	13	46	44
Wyndham-East Kimberley	38	42	43	....	....	....	38	42	43
Total	61	123	100	....	....	....	61	123	100

STATE SUMMARY

Statistical Division—									
Perth	6,812	9,246	10,463	2,262	3,172	5,251	9,074	12,418	15,714
South-West	820	834	973	57	50	45	877	884	1,018
Southern Agricultural	359	384	365	22	38	31	381	422	396
Central Agricultural	367	407	331	8	24	....	375	431	331
Northern Agricultural	513	659	637	31	33	77	544	692	714
Eastern Goldfields	382	489	486	12	46	56	394	535	542
Central	11	14	16	....	....	....	11	14	16
North-West	110	61	146	....	8	....	110	69	146
Pilbara	423	623	416	....	120	136	423	743	552
Kimberley	61	123	100	....	....	....	61	123	100
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	9,858	12,840	13,933	2,392	3,491	5,596	12,250	16,331	19,529

(a) The Town of Midland was united with the Shire of Swan-Guildford to form one municipality named the Shire of Swan, with effect from 1 April 1970. (b) The name of the Shire of Upper Blackwood was changed to the Shire of Boyup Brook with effect from 30 May 1969. (c) The Shire of Bridgetown was united with the Shire of Greenbushes to form one municipality named the Shire of Bridgetown-Greenbushes, with effect from 26 March 1970. (d) The Shire of Donnybrook was united with the Shire of Balingup to form one municipality named the Shire of Donnybrook, with effect from 26 March 1970. (The name of the Shire was altered to Donnybrook-Balingup with effect from 17 July 1970.) (e) Comprises the former Town of Boulder and Shire of Kalgoorlie. The district of the Town of Boulder was abolished with effect from 15 August 1969 and the outlying land which formerly comprised the Town of Boulder was annexed to the Shire of Kalgoorlie with effect from 18 August 1969. The name of the Shire of Kalgoorlie was altered to the Shire of Boulder with effect from 12 December 1969.

No. 10—Number and Value of New Houses and Flats and Value of Other New Buildings

Period	Perth Statistical Division				Western Australia			
	New houses and flats		Other new buildings	Total	New houses and flats		Other new buildings	Total
	Number	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	Number	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
APPROVED								
1965-66	6,830	49,791	38,094	87,885	9,202	70,683	51,889	122,572
1966-67	8,853	66,893	54,831	121,724	11,446	91,082	71,855	162,937
1967-68	11,538	94,683	72,757	167,440	15,119	137,156	103,636	240,792
1968-69	17,274	149,892	90,189	240,081	20,671	186,010	119,584	305,594
1969-70	15,432	147,557	113,668	261,225	20,637	224,768	155,913	380,681
COMMENCED								
1965-66	6,492	(a)	(a)	(a)	9,127	73,866	57,116	130,982
1966-67	8,073	63,272	54,533	117,805	10,994	94,303	75,154	169,457
1967-68	11,071	92,965	75,305	168,269	14,644	134,945	107,360	242,305
1968-69	15,229	134,927	90,521	225,447	19,214	178,406	119,278	297,684
1969-70	14,661	140,937	118,506	259,443	18,838	196,698	164,896	361,594
COMPLETED								
1965-66	6,683	(a)	(a)	(a)	8,889	67,185	62,993	130,178
1966-67	6,964	55,229	45,229	100,458	10,014	87,400	74,735	162,135
1967-68	9,074	74,597	55,870	130,467	12,250	109,947	85,456	195,403
1968-69	12,418	109,414	67,296	176,709	16,331	155,682	99,152	254,833
1969-70	15,714	147,190	79,672	226,862	19,529	191,819	111,577	303,397
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD								
1965-66	2,718	(a)	(a)	(a)	4,133	34,405	56,577	90,982
1966-67	3,827	28,879	41,949	70,828	5,113	42,132	57,987	100,119
1967-68	5,817	47,829	61,847	109,675	7,492	68,096	80,750	148,846
1968-69	8,609	74,528	85,659	160,186	10,341	92,400	101,877	194,278
1969-70	7,506	69,394	126,432	195,826	9,581	99,213	157,330	256,543
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD								
1965-66						68,899	64,584	133,483
1966-67	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	91,775	71,951	163,726
1967-68						121,319	91,118	212,437
1968-69		121,715	70,792	192,507		166,386	103,625	270,012
1969-70		150,981	103,446	254,427		199,545	143,398	342,943

n.a. denotes 'not applicable' or 'not available'.

(a) The Perth Statistical Division was constituted 1 January 1966 and figures for the period shown are not available.

No. 11—Value of New Buildings Completed: Ownership (\$'000)

Period	Houses and flats		Other new buildings		Total new buildings		
	Government	Private	Government	Private	Government	Private	Total
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION							
1965-66	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
1966-67	4,141	51,088	15,486	29,743	19,627	80,831	100,458
1967-68	3,912	70,685	22,729	33,141	26,641	103,826	130,467
1968-69	8,815	100,598	26,232	41,064	35,047	141,662	176,709
1969-70	11,737	135,452	23,155	56,519	34,892	191,970	226,862
WESTERN AUSTRALIA							
1965-66	13,308	53,877	30,661	32,332	43,969	86,209	130,178
1966-67	12,327	75,073	28,559	46,176	40,886	121,249	162,135
1967-68	10,300	99,647	33,065	52,391	43,366	152,037	195,403
1968-69	16,160	139,524	37,341	61,810	53,500	201,333	254,833
1969-70	19,739	172,080	31,929	79,649	51,668	251,728	303,397

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 10.

No. 12—Value of New Buildings Completed: Type of Building
(\$'000)

Type of building		1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	....	} 30,352	{ 24,808	30,510	34,948	39,476
Brick veneer	....		6,138	7,656	7,768	7,618
Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	....		724	294	162	148
Asbestos-cement	....		7,640	7,274	8,818	9,700
Other	....		160	46	78	296
Total, Houses	....	38,102	39,470	45,780	51,774	57,238
Flats	....	1,580	1,342	2,984	5,596	9,046
Total, Houses and Flats	....	39,682	40,812	48,764	57,370	66,284
Other new buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.	....	1,104	1,204	3,080	1,850	2,744
Shops	....	1,356	1,850	1,852	1,548	2,890
Factories	....	4,736	3,038	4,912	5,384	6,816
Office premises	....	4,118	2,902	1,588	5,996	2,820
Other business premises	....	3,910	3,168	3,868	3,664	5,102
Education	....	7,956	6,014	7,724	6,226	8,044
Religion	....	950	712	1,034	1,184	1,300
Health	....	2,942	4,692	6,388	3,278	3,076
Entertainment and recreation	....	1,754	1,266	3,926	2,044	1,952
Miscellaneous	....	3,542	2,414	3,292	4,324	6,072
Total, Other new buildings	....	32,368	27,260	37,664	35,498	40,816
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	....	72,050	68,072	86,428	92,868	107,100

Type of building		1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	....	38,167	50,964	66,255	91,821	117,366
Brick veneer	....	8,728	10,978	13,557	18,975	13,476
Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	....	107	107	115	69	355
Asbestos-cement	....	10,822	14,985	17,147	21,865	19,797
Other	....	265	1,044	295	546	307
Total, Houses	....	58,089	78,078	97,370	133,276	151,300
Flats	....	9,096	9,322	12,577	22,406	40,519
Total, Houses and Flats	....	67,185	87,400	109,947	155,682	191,819
Other new buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.	....	3,211	4,990	8,759	11,417	14,815
Shops	....	4,860	7,692	5,079	4,052	7,501
Factories	....	9,631	9,841	15,061	15,845	16,615
Office premises	....	10,576	7,093	14,608	10,885	14,294
Other business premises	....	6,999	7,150	6,809	12,574	15,968
Education	....	8,459	10,477	12,051	14,122	13,297
Religion	....	965	1,147	683	1,644	995
Health	....	7,415	8,927	3,436	7,373	5,949
Entertainment and recreation	....	2,247	3,080	3,670	3,848	6,033
Miscellaneous	....	8,630	14,338	15,299	17,391	16,110
Total, Other new buildings	....	62,993	74,735	85,456	99,152	111,577
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	....	130,178	162,135	195,403	254,833	303,397

No. 13—Value of New Buildings Completed: Type of Building
(S'000)

Type of building		1969	1970				Year ended 31 Dec.
			Quarter ended—				
			31 March	30 June	30 Sept.	31 Dec.	
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION							
Houses—							
Material of outer walls—							
Cavity brick, concrete, stone		99,900	24,789	24,505	22,462	22,049	93,805
Brick veneer		5,022	1,576	1,323	2,555	835	6,289
Asbestos-cement		1,492	455	316	207	257	1,235
Wood and other		66	12	33	30	50	125
Total, Houses		106,481	26,832	26,177	25,255	23,190	101,454
Flats		26,708	8,927	10,509	10,707	12,463	42,606
Total, Houses and Flats		133,189	35,759	36,686	35,962	35,653	144,060
Other new buildings—							
Hotels, hostels, etc.		5,203	2,149	609	3,455	3,173	9,386
Shops		4,341	1,807	475	1,197	1,982	5,461
Factories		14,385	3,060	3,399	3,134	3,738	13,331
Office premises		10,215	2,632	2,622	10,201	8,238	23,693
Other business premises		11,292	2,379	1,854	3,819	2,644	10,696
Education		8,043	4,157	3,820	1,649	4,474	14,100
Religion		1,190	320	10	137	484	951
Health		3,345	1,594	590	1,921	1,942	6,047
Entertainment and recreation		3,996	647	1,002	977	2,376	5,002
Miscellaneous		7,065	1,892	2,890	5,225	2,208	12,215
Total, Other new buildings		69,072	20,636	17,271	31,715	31,259	100,881
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS		202,260	56,395	53,957	67,677	66,912	244,941
OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS							
Houses—							
Material of outer walls—							
Cavity brick, concrete, stone		10,048	2,779	4,746	2,542	2,682	12,748
Brick veneer		10,969	2,031	1,485	6,231	13,287	23,034
Asbestos-cement		19,919	4,215	3,705	4,818	4,277	17,015
Wood and other		647	22	285	197	1,490	1,994
Total, Houses		41,582	9,046	10,220	13,788	21,736	54,790
Flats		4,584	282	2,408	719	645	4,054
Total, Houses and Flats		46,167	9,328	12,628	14,506	22,381	58,843
Other new buildings—							
Hotels, hostels, etc.		5,076	1,946	2,078	1,853	1,752	7,629
Shops		2,451	174	522	674	360	1,730
Factories		1,855	788	446	1,080	1,117	3,431
Office premises		1,272	203	565	525	498	1,791
Other business premises		4,271	1,113	564	1,671	735	4,083
Education		2,652	938	1,141	958	996	4,033
Religion		366	78	159	125	103	465
Health		3,018	317	466	6,085	1,243	8,111
Entertainment and recreation		1,295	254	443	216	676	1,589
Miscellaneous		9,114	2,068	1,730	3,164	3,782	10,744
Total, Other new buildings		31,372	7,878	8,112	16,351	11,264	43,605
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS		77,540	17,206	20,740	30,858	33,645	102,449
WESTERN AUSTRALIA							
Houses—							
Material of outer walls—							
Cavity brick, concrete, stone		109,948	27,568	29,251	25,004	24,731	106,554
Brick veneer		15,991	3,607	2,808	8,786	14,122	29,323
Asbestos-cement		21,411	4,670	4,021	5,025	4,534	18,250
Wood and other		713	34	318	227	1,540	2,119
Total, Houses		148,062	35,878	36,398	39,042	44,927	156,245
Flats		31,292	9,209	12,917	11,426	13,107	46,659
Total, Houses and Flats		179,355	45,087	49,315	50,468	58,034	202,904
Other new buildings—							
Hotels, hostels, etc.		10,280	4,095	2,686	5,308	4,924	17,013
Shops		6,792	1,980	997	1,871	2,342	7,190
Factories		16,240	3,848	3,844	4,214	4,856	16,762
Office premises		11,487	2,835	3,187	10,726	8,736	25,484
Other business premises		15,563	3,492	2,418	5,489	3,380	14,779
Education		10,695	5,095	4,962	2,608	5,470	18,135
Religion		1,555	398	169	262	587	1,416
Health		6,363	1,910	1,055	8,006	3,185	14,156
Entertainment and recreation		5,291	902	1,445	1,193	3,052	6,592
Miscellaneous		16,179	3,960	4,620	8,389	5,991	22,960
Total, Other new buildings		100,445	28,515	25,383	48,066	42,523	144,487
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS		279,801	73,602	74,698	98,534	100,557	347,391

No. 14—Value of New Buildings Commenced, Completed and Under Construction and Value of Work Done: Type of Building
(\$'000)

Type of building	Perth Statistical Division			Western Australia		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
COMMENCED						
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	68,171	96,287	92,856	76,011	105,856	102,980
Brick veneer	6,494	4,460	4,655	17,670	16,154	26,730
Asbestos-cement	947	1,271	1,372	19,926	21,078	18,731
Wood and other	28	56	89	400	818	1,294
Total, Houses	75,640	102,074	98,972	114,007	143,907	149,737
Flats	17,324	32,853	41,965	20,938	34,499	46,962
Total, Houses and Flats	92,965	134,927	140,937	134,945	178,406	196,698
Other new buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.	8,571	5,900	7,102	15,186	10,092	17,785
Shops	2,683	5,276	6,774	4,050	7,031	8,929
Factories	18,479	11,235	12,517	20,313	13,094	16,542
Office premises	17,589	25,579	31,955	18,790	26,608	33,644
Other business premises	6,680	11,849	20,171	8,360	14,677	25,617
Education	9,221	8,207	18,194	12,509	11,082	22,476
Religion	488	783	677	762	1,122	1,116
Health	3,173	7,574	6,699	9,695	11,149	11,843
Entertainment and recreation	1,689	4,576	4,070	3,755	5,767	5,705
Miscellaneous	6,732	9,540	10,346	13,940	18,654	21,238
Total, Other new buildings	75,305	90,521	118,506	107,360	119,278	164,896
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	168,269	225,447	259,443	242,305	297,684	361,594
COMPLETED						
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	58,415	84,115	103,916	66,255	91,821	117,366
Brick veneer	3,348	5,607	4,947	13,557	18,975	13,476
Asbestos-cement	961	1,236	1,632	17,147	21,865	19,797
Wood and other	10	44	72	410	615	662
Total, Houses	62,733	91,002	110,568	97,370	133,276	151,300
Flats	11,863	18,411	36,622	12,577	22,406	40,519
Total, Houses and Flats	74,597	109,414	147,190	109,947	155,682	191,819
Other new buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.	2,100	5,589	7,566	8,759	11,417	14,815
Shops	3,388	2,582	5,450	5,079	4,052	7,501
Factories	12,157	14,377	14,390	15,061	15,845	16,615
Office premises	12,860	9,547	13,085	14,608	10,885	14,294
Other business premises	4,725	9,935	11,475	6,809	12,574	15,968
Education	9,978	10,210	10,355	12,051	14,122	13,297
Religion	369	1,317	566	683	1,644	995
Health	1,578	3,922	4,164	3,436	7,373	5,949
Entertainment and recreation	2,066	2,241	4,580	3,670	3,848	6,033
Miscellaneous	6,649	7,577	8,042	15,299	17,391	16,110
Total, Other new buildings	55,870	67,296	79,672	85,456	99,152	111,577
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	130,467	176,709	226,862	195,403	254,833	303,397

No. 14—Value of New Buildings Commenced, Completed and Under Construction and Value of Work Done: Type of Building—continued
(S'000)

Type of building	Perth Statistical Division			Western Australia		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD						
Houses—						
Material of outer walls—						
Cavity brick, concrete, stone	28,425	41,464	31,218	32,209	47,263	35,597
Brick veneer	4,828	3,683	3,643	10,524	7,311	19,100
Asbestos-cement	634	712	563	8,041	7,952	7,595
Wood and other	30	34	39	111	310	930
Total, Houses	33,917	45,893	35,463	50,885	62,836	63,222
Flats	13,912	28,635	33,931	17,212	29,564	35,991
Total, Houses and Flats	47,829	74,528	69,394	68,096	92,400	99,213
Other new buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.	7,848	8,160	7,854	10,755	9,466	12,620
Shops	1,043	3,739	5,426	1,306	4,349	6,176
Factories	11,690	8,708	6,819	11,973	9,403	9,320
Office premises	16,405	32,439	52,454	17,139	32,889	53,431
Other business premises	4,760	6,848	15,172	5,198	7,509	16,816
Education	8,243	6,131	14,315	10,405	7,293	16,822
Religion	896	378	513	1,031	521	668
Health	4,532	8,398	11,053	11,169	15,184	21,200
Entertainment and recreation	1,174	3,555	3,084	2,165	4,137	3,822
Miscellaneous	5,256	7,303	9,743	9,607	11,127	16,455
Total, Other new buildings	61,847	85,659	126,432	80,750	101,877	157,330
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	109,675	160,186	195,826	148,846	194,278	256,543

VALUE OF WORK DONE ON NEW BUILDINGS DURING PERIOD

Houses and Flats—						
Houses		96,370	110,157	105,991	137,168	154,761
Flats		25,345	40,823	15,328	29,219	44,783
Total, Houses and Flats		121,715	150,981	121,319	166,386	199,545
Other new buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.		5,501	8,900	11,620	10,425	16,574
Shops		3,646	6,214	4,750	5,234	8,434
Factories		13,690	13,650	16,593	15,334	16,052
Office premises		13,906	25,269	13,246	15,111	26,692
Other business premises		10,778	13,544	8,598	13,499	18,937
Education		8,890	12,015	13,494	12,436	15,829
Religion		855	701	981	1,255	1,068
Health		3,810	7,006	5,897	7,871	12,937
Entertainment and recreation		2,755	5,248	3,904	4,463	6,539
Miscellaneous		6,960	10,897	12,034	17,994	20,336
Total, Other new buildings		70,792	103,446	91,118	103,625	143,398
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS		192,507	254,427	212,437	270,012	342,943

n.a. denotes 'not available'.

No. 15—New Houses Completed by Contract Builders for Private Ownership by Value of House and Material of Outer Walls

Value of house (a)	Houses—Material of outer walls						All types (b)	
	Cavity brick, etc.		Brick veneer		Asbestos-cement			
	Number	\$'000	Number	\$'000	Number	\$'000	Number	\$'000
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1970								
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Under \$6,000	112	594	....	....	24	127	137	725
\$6,000—\$7,999	1,257	8,752	....	....	36	250	1,293	9,003
\$8,000—\$9,999	2,901	26,258	5	44	28	243	2,934	26,545
\$10,000—\$11,999	2,175	23,337	1	10	8	87	2,184	23,435
\$12,000—\$13,999	1,106	14,041	....	....	4	51	1,110	14,092
\$14,000—\$15,999	489	7,209	3	44	2	30	494	7,284
\$16,000—\$17,999	257	4,274	1	17	....	....	258	4,290
\$18,000—\$19,999	168	3,139	1	20	1	20	170	3,179
\$20,000 and over	289	7,653	1	25	....	....	290	7,679
Total	8,754	95,258	12	161	103	809	8,870	96,232
Average value (c)	....	10,882	....	13,417	....	7,854	....	10,849
OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS								
Under \$6,000	6	23	....	....	101	495	110	534
\$6,000—\$7,999	26	185	9	65	127	866	162	1,113
\$8,000—\$9,999	75	681	102	882	176	1,565	355	3,146
\$10,000—\$11,999	237	2,618	119	1,282	189	2,017	545	5,917
\$12,000—\$13,999	76	946	82	1,033	56	715	216	2,718
\$14,000—\$15,999	53	774	36	526	65	983	157	2,329
\$16,000—\$17,999	40	671	15	249	28	472	86	1,440
\$18,000—\$19,999	30	563	119	2,291	12	223	162	3,097
\$20,000 and over	153	3,585	37	868	20	510	223	5,253
Total	696	10,044	519	7,195	774	7,845	2,016	25,546
Average value (c)	....	14,431	....	13,863	....	10,136	....	12,672
WESTERN AUSTRALIA								
Under \$6,000	118	617	....	....	125	622	247	1,259
\$6,000—\$7,999	1,283	8,937	9	65	163	1,115	1,455	10,116
\$8,000—\$9,999	2,976	26,939	107	926	204	1,808	3,289	29,691
\$10,000—\$11,999	2,412	25,955	120	1,292	197	2,104	2,729	29,352
\$12,000—\$13,999	1,182	14,987	82	1,033	60	766	1,326	16,809
\$14,000—\$15,999	542	7,983	39	570	67	1,013	651	9,613
\$16,000—\$17,999	297	4,945	16	266	28	472	344	5,729
\$18,000—\$19,999	198	3,702	120	2,311	13	244	332	6,276
\$20,000 and over	442	11,238	38	893	20	510	513	12,932
Total	9,450	105,303	531	7,355	877	8,654	10,886	121,778
Average value (c)	....	11,143	....	13,851	....	9,868	....	11,187

NUMBER AND AVERAGE VALUE: 1967–68 to 1969–70 (c)

	Number	\$	Number	\$	Number	\$	Number	\$
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION								
1967–68	5,628	9,482	34	9,941	76	6,802	5,738	9,432
1968–69	7,486	10,204	7	9,286	89	7,270	7,585	10,167
1969–70	8,754	10,882	12	13,417	103	7,854	8,870	10,849
OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS								
1967–68	382	15,466	472	18,487	877	10,027	1,747	13,520
1968–69	387	14,005	681	17,673	1,103	10,444	2,198	13,367
1969–70	696	14,431	519	13,863	774	10,136	2,016	12,672
WESTERN AUSTRALIA								
1967–68	6,010	9,863	506	17,911	953	9,770	7,485	10,400
1968–69	7,873	10,391	688	17,586	1,192	10,206	9,783	10,886
1969–70	9,450	11,143	531	13,851	877	9,868	10,886	11,187

(a) Excludes the value of land.

(b) Includes houses of weatherboard outer walls and other types, which are

not shown separately.

(c) The average values relate to houses completed in the relevant period and cannot be regarded

as an index of the cost of erecting houses of a particular size or standard.

No. 16—New Houses Completed by Ownership and Value of House

Value of house (a)	Government ownership		Private ownership		Total	
	Number	\$'000	Number	\$'000	Number	\$'000
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1970						
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION						
Under \$6,000	58	253	199	1,012	257	1,265
\$6,000—\$7,999	633	4,251	1,434	9,950	2,067	14,201
\$8,000—\$9,999	117	1,062	3,047	27,516	3,164	28,578
\$10,000—\$11,999	71	764	2,282	24,457	2,353	25,221
\$12,000—\$13,999	20	250	1,209	15,326	1,229	15,576
\$14,000—\$15,999	1	14	564	8,299	565	8,313
\$16,000—\$17,999	2	33	290	4,816	292	4,849
\$18,000—\$19,999	....	....	194	3,618	194	3,618
\$20,000 and over	....	....	342	8,947	342	8,947
Total	902	6,626	9,561	103,942	10,463	110,568
Average value (b)	....	7,346	....	10,871	....	10,568
OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS						
Under \$6,000	10	52	301	1,363	311	1,415
\$6,000—\$7,999	147	1,060	304	2,035	451	3,095
\$8,000—\$9,999	116	1,050	490	4,289	606	5,339
\$10,000—\$11,999	125	1,366	680	7,315	805	8,681
\$12,000—\$13,999	84	1,078	304	3,815	388	4,893
\$14,000—\$15,999	41	599	200	2,949	241	3,548
\$16,000—\$17,999	53	889	122	2,036	175	2,925
\$18,000—\$19,999	11	204	178	3,390	189	3,594
\$20,000 and over	60	1,504	244	5,738	304	7,242
Total	647	7,802	2,823	32,929	3,470	40,731
Average value (b)	....	12,059	....	11,665	....	11,738
WESTERN AUSTRALIA						
Under \$6,000	68	305	500	2,375	568	2,680
\$6,000—\$7,999	780	5,312	1,738	11,984	2,518	17,296
\$8,000—\$9,999	233	2,112	3,537	31,805	3,770	33,917
\$10,000—\$11,999	196	2,130	2,962	31,774	3,158	33,903
\$12,000—\$13,999	104	1,328	1,513	19,141	1,617	20,469
\$14,000—\$15,999	42	613	764	11,248	806	11,861
\$16,000—\$17,999	55	922	412	6,852	467	7,774
\$18,000—\$19,999	11	204	372	7,008	383	7,212
\$20,000 and over	60	1,504	586	14,685	646	16,189
Total	1,549	14,428	12,384	136,871	13,933	151,300
Average value (b)	....	9,314	....	11,052	....	10,859

NUMBER AND AVERAGE VALUE: 1967-68 to 1969-70 (b)

PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION		Number	\$	Number	\$	Number	\$
1967-68	....	609	6,350	6,203	9,490	6,812	9,209
1968-69	....	1,079	7,213	8,167	10,190	9,246	9,842
1969-70	....	902	7,346	9,561	10,871	10,463	10,568
OTHER STATISTICAL DIVISIONS							
1967-68	....	716	8,921	2,330	12,124	3,046	11,371
1968-69	....	754	9,576	2,840	12,343	3,594	11,762
1969-70	....	647	12,059	2,823	11,665	3,470	11,738
WESTERN AUSTRALIA							
1967-68	....	1,325	7,739	8,533	10,209	9,858	9,877
1968-69	....	1,833	8,185	11,007	10,745	12,840	10,380
1969-70	....	1,549	9,314	12,384	11,052	13,933	10,859

(a) Excludes the value of land.

(b) The average values relate to houses completed in the relevant period and cannot be regarded as an index of the cost of erecting houses of a particular size or standard.

No. 17—Value of Work Done on New Buildings during Year: Type of Building
(\$'000)

Type of building	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Houses	60,866	80,719	105,991	137,168	154,761
Flats	8,033	11,056	15,328	29,219	44,783
Total, Houses and Flats	68,899	91,775	121,319	166,386	199,545
Other new buildings—					
Hotels, hostels, etc.	3,677	6,551	11,620	10,425	16,574
Shops	5,918	4,417	4,750	5,234	8,434
Factories	10,125	10,122	16,593	15,334	16,052
Office premises	7,890	9,293	13,246	15,111	26,692
Other business premises	6,326	7,055	8,598	13,499	18,937
Education	8,879	11,183	13,494	12,436	15,829
Religion	1,122	1,015	981	1,255	1,068
Health	6,146	5,774	5,897	7,871	12,937
Entertainment and recreation	2,247	3,379	3,904	4,463	6,539
Miscellaneous	12,254	13,162	12,034	17,994	20,336
Total, Other new buildings	64,584	71,951	91,118	103,625	143,398
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	133,483	163,726	212,437	270,012	342,943

No. 18—Number of Persons Working on Jobs Carried Out by Builders of New Buildings (a)

Particulars	As at 30 June—				
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970

OCCUPATIONAL STATUS

Contractors	574	639	697	697	673
Sub-contractors	1,881	2,539	2,882	3,731	3,132
Wage earners	9,893	11,327	13,233	14,773	15,788
Total persons working	12,348	14,505	16,812	19,201	19,593

OCCUPATION

Carpenters	3,591	4,026	4,569	5,007	5,114
Bricklayers	1,584	1,966	2,469	2,954	2,463
Painters	1,105	1,341	1,494	1,723	1,611
Electricians	825	1,014	1,126	1,373	1,364
Plumbers	1,064	1,275	1,577	1,711	1,695
Builders' labourers	2,047	2,210	2,602	2,978	3,171
Other	2,132	2,673	2,975	3,455	4,175
Total persons working	12,348	14,505	16,812	19,201	19,593

TYPE OF BUILDING WORK

New buildings—					
Houses and flats	5,912	7,185	8,792	10,896	9,328
Other buildings	3,858	4,708	5,477	5,544	6,676
Total	9,770	11,893	14,269	16,440	16,004
Alterations and additions—					
Houses and flats	399	425	474	945	490
Other buildings	1,028	1,098	884	614	1,777
Total	1,427	1,523	1,358	1,559	2,267
Repairs and maintenance	1,151	1,089	1,185	1,202	1,322
Total persons working	12,348	14,505	16,812	19,201	19,593

(a) Includes contractor and sub-contractor principals actually working on jobs, but excludes persons working on owner-built houses. See note *Persons Working on Buildings* on page 5.

No. 19—State Housing Commission (a): Summary of Operations

Year	Housing units (b) completed							Other activities (d)
	Commonwealth and State Housing Agreements	War Service Homes Scheme	State Housing Act (c)	Departmental homes	Government Employees' Housing Scheme	Other schemes	Total	
1944-45	63	---	1	---	---	---	64	---
1945-46	230	16	10	---	---	---	256	---
1946-47	509	155	26	---	---	---	690	---
1947-48	846	326	22	---	---	---	1,194	---
1948-49	1,016	489	20	---	---	---	1,525	---
1949-50	952	609	40	---	---	---	1,601	---
1950-51	1,261	733	27	---	---	---	2,021	---
1951-52	1,022	727	151	---	---	---	1,900	---
1952-53	1,104	1,212	490	1	---	---	2,807	---
1953-54	1,501	1,214	768	1	---	---	3,484	---
1954-55	2,031	1,107	911	13	---	---	4,062	---
1955-56	1,579	1,220	888	9	---	---	3,696	---
1956-57	800	571	389	2	---	---	1,762	---
1957-58	1,138	966	274	7	---	---	2,385	---
1958-59	853	510	341	14	10	---	1,728	3
1959-60	656	354	373	36	20	---	1,439	---
1960-61	742	276	560	53	29	---	1,660	---
1961-62	873	198	402	147	16	---	1,636	55
1962-63	1,104	141	620	93	18	29	2,005	130
1963-64	1,092	176	703	165	14	31	2,181	139
1964-65	692	174	887	198	31	52	2,034	97
1965-66	995	118	957	155	34	36	2,295	185
1966-67	698	143	560	195	49	111	1,756	20
1967-68	824	141	390	147	34	8	1,544	13
1968-69	936	138	539	188	52	2	1,855	8
1969-70	1,092	77	760	198	119	52	2,298	62
Total	24,609	11,791	11,109	1,622	426	(e)321	49,878	712

(a) The State Housing Commission was constituted in January 1947 to replace the former Workers' Homes Board. Completions shown for periods prior to that date represent operations of the Board. (b) Comprises houses and individual flat units.

(c) Excludes 282 housing units built for the McNess Housing Trust during the years 1945-46 to 1963-64 and 653 units built for BP Refinery (Kwinana) Pty Ltd between 1952-53 and 1955-56 under the provisions of the Oil Refinery Industry (Anglo-Iranian Oil Company Limited) Act of 1952. These schemes were incorporated with State Housing Act operations during the year 1968-69.

(d) The figures shown represent housing units built by charitable organisations in connection with which the Commission provided design and supervisory services.

(e) Comprises 77 units under the provisions of the Laporte Industrial Factory Agreement Act, 1961-1965; 55 units in terms of the Broken Hill Proprietary Company's Integrated Steel Works Agreement Act, 1960; 128 units for the Exmouth Development Scheme; 28 units for the Project Development (Special Agreements Scheme), and 33 units for the Shire Building Scheme to house local government employees.

SUMMARY OF DWELLINGS: CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

EXPLANATORY NOTES AND DEFINITIONS

The figures in Tables 20–31 exclude particulars of dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. Such dwellings were excluded from the Census tabulations in accordance with the requirements of section 127 (now repealed) of the Australian Constitution.

Occupied Dwelling. For the purpose of the Census of Population and Housing an occupied dwelling is any habitation occupied by a household group living together as a domestic unit, and may comprise the whole of a building or only part of it. The term has therefore a very wide reference and includes, in addition to houses and flats, a great variety of dwellings ranging from a single-roomed shack to a multi-roomed hotel or institution.

Unoccupied Dwellings include vacant dwellings available for sale or renting; dwellings such as week-enders or holiday homes and seasonal workers' quarters which were not occupied on Census night; dwellings normally occupied but whose occupants were temporarily absent on the night of the Census; newly-completed dwellings whose owners or tenants had not entered into occupation on Census night; and dwellings described as 'to be demolished', 'condemned', 'exhibition home', etc. The total number of unoccupied dwellings does not, therefore, represent the number of vacant houses and flats available for sale or renting.

Private Dwellings comprise the following classes:

Private house, which includes semi-detached houses; terrace houses; and shared private houses for which only one Householder's Schedule was received.

Share of private house. A share of a private house is a portion of a shared private house which is occupied separately and for which portion a separate Householder's Schedule was furnished.

Self-contained flat. A self-contained flat is part of a house or other building which can be completely closed off and which has its own cooking and bathing facilities. Home units are included in this class.

Share of self-contained flat is that portion of a self-contained flat for which a separate Householder's Schedule was furnished.

Shed, hut, tent, etc. includes sheds, huts, tents, garages, caravans and boats, which are used for dwelling purposes.

Other private dwellings include flats (not self-contained) and dwellings such as rooms, apartments, etc. which are parts of buildings but not self-contained units.

Non-private Dwellings include hotels; motels; boarding houses, lodging houses and hostels; educational, religious and charitable institutions; hospitals; defence and penal establishments; police and fire stations; clubs; staff barracks and quarters.

Local Government Areas. In Western Australia local government areas are designated Cities, Towns or Shires. In Table 20, Cities are marked (C) and Towns (T), all other local government areas being Shires. *The names and designations used are those which were current at 30 June 1966.* Between the Censuses, some new Shires were constituted, some local government areas were amalgamated, and there were some changes of name and of designation. These are listed below.

- (i) The Town of North Fremantle was annexed to the City of Fremantle with effect from 1 November 1961.
- (ii) Mosman Park, formerly a Shire, was declared to be a Town with effect from 26 January 1962.
- (iii) The Shire of Coorow was constituted, with effect from 1 July 1962, by severance of territory from the Shires of Carnamah, Dalwallinu and Perenjori.
- (iv) Melville, formerly a Shire, was declared to be a Town with effect from 28 September 1962.
- (v) The Shire of Exmouth was constituted, with effect from 1 January 1964, by severance of territory from the Shire of Gascoyne-Minilya.
- (vi) The Town of Carnarvon was amalgamated with the Shire of Gascoyne-Minilya to form the Shire of Carnarvon, with effect from 1 March 1965.
- (vii) The Town of York was amalgamated with the Shire of York, with effect from 15 March 1965, to form one local government area named the Shire of York.
- (viii) The name of the Shire of Geraldton-Greenough was changed to the Shire of Greenough, with effect from 19 March 1965.
- (ix) The name of the Shire of Trayning-Kununoppin-Yelbeni was changed to the Shire of Trayning, with effect from 10 September 1965.

The particulars shown in Table 20 for 30 June 1961 in respect of all local government areas mentioned in (i), (iii), (v), (vi) and (vii) above relate to the 1966 boundaries and have been derived, where necessary, from an examination of the 1961 Census schedules.

In addition, there were some other boundary changes which resulted in a change in the numbers of dwellings in particular local government areas. In these cases the 1961 dwellings data have been similarly adjusted to the 1966 boundaries.

Further Sources of Information. Additional information relating to dwellings enumerated at the 1966 Census is contained in *Census Bulletin No. 5.2—Summary of Dwellings: Western Australia* and *Census Volume 4, Part 5—Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas: Western Australia* published by the Commonwealth Statistician, Canberra.

No. 20—Dwellings in Statistical Divisions and Local Government Areas Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Local government area	Census, 30 June—								
	1961	1966							
		Occupied dwellings (b)						Unoc- cupied dwell- ings (d)	Total dwell- ings (a)
		Private				Non- private	Total occupied dwell- ings		
Total dwell- ings (a)	Private house	Self- con- tained flat	Other (c)	Total					
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Armadale-Kelmscott	1,957	2,026	49	19	2,094	14	2,108	180	2,288
Bassendean	2,303	2,582	33	27	2,642	9	2,651	70	2,721
Bayswater	5,279	6,815	54	42	6,911	15	6,926	207	7,133
Belmont	(e) 5,330	6,696	112	51	6,859	18	6,877	173	7,050
Canning	(e) 4,679	5,836	122	37	5,995	17	6,012	207	6,219
Claremont (T)	2,447	2,051	427	39	2,517	45	2,562	92	2,654
Cockburn	2,170	3,346	68	51	3,465	12	3,477	410	3,887
Cottesloe (T)	2,745	1,886	797	210	2,893	25	2,918	218	3,136
East Fremantle (T)	1,953	1,774	164	42	1,980	17	1,997	65	2,062
Fremantle (C)	(e) 6,570	6,029	386	322	6,737	71	6,808	227	7,035
Gosnells	2,746	2,980	29	35	3,044	5	3,049	166	3,215
Kalamunda	(e) 2,257	2,491	61	31	2,583	14	2,597	243	2,840
Kwinana	1,316	1,332	5	8	1,345	6	1,351	105	1,456
Melville (T)	10,436	12,156	581	71	12,808	23	12,831	301	13,132
Midland (T)	2,486	2,397	40	26	2,463	16	2,479	60	2,539
Mosman Park (T)	1,695	1,631	72	25	1,728	5	1,733	71	1,804
Mundaring	2,499	2,406	36	25	2,467	16	2,483	275	2,758
Nedlands (C)	6,061	5,626	410	48	6,084	31	6,115	184	6,299
Peppermint Grove	475	356	91	10	457	1	458	20	478
Perth (C)	27,486	23,678	3,399	899	27,976	490	28,466	1,110	29,576
Perth	23,269	28,747	1,693	310	30,750	98	30,848	1,025	31,873
Rockingham	2,058	1,108	229	31	1,368	8	1,376	1,627	3,003
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	501	415	7	6	428	9	437	67	504
South Perth (C)	8,578	7,834	1,807	157	9,798	38	9,836	328	10,164
Subiaco (C)	5,404	4,112	1,293	144	5,549	56	5,605	203	5,808
Swan-Guildford	2,424	2,147	73	84	2,304	35	2,339	191	2,530
Wanneroo	737	592	34	16	642	4	646	386	1,032
Total	136,221	139,049	12,072	2,766	153,887	1,098	154,985	8,211	163,196
SOUTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Augusta-Margaret River	1,080	870	10	13	893	13	906	187	1,093
Balingup	374	300	1	14	315	4	319	41	360
Boddington	296	199	5	5	209	7	216	39	255
Bridgetown	872	730	22	20	772	12	784	87	871
Bunbury (T)	3,537	3,672	225	63	3,960	59	4,019	245	4,264
Busselton	2,173	1,734	99	32	1,865	29	1,894	517	2,411
Capel	529	510	8	11	529	4	533	40	573
Collie	2,515	2,229	23	24	2,276	25	2,301	159	2,460
Dardanup	442	416	2	9	427	5	432	28	460
Donnybrook	658	542	5	13	560	9	569	68	637
Greenbushes	212	175	1	4	180	5	185	24	209
Harvey	1,947	1,566	25	35	1,626	29	1,655	240	1,895
Mandurah	1,955	1,078	70	40	1,188	8	1,196	1,650	2,846
Manjimup	2,817	2,191	27	112	2,330	41	2,371	531	2,902
Murray	1,263	845	12	18	875	22	897	490	1,387
Nannup	482	303	3	6	312	8	320	56	376
Upper Blackwood	684	576	13	21	610	14	624	79	703
Waroona	488	462	10	4	476	6	482	147	629
Total	22,324	18,398	561	444	19,403	300	19,703	4,628	24,331
SOUTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Albany (T)	3,082	2,844	161	39	3,044	53	3,097	329	3,426
Albany	909	820	10	57	887	11	898	112	1,010
Broomehill	203	185	.....	.....	185	5	190	24	214
Cranbrook	360	341	3	22	366	16	382	64	446
Denmark	645	490	2	7	499	5	504	256	760
Dumbleyung	395	365	1	13	379	8	387	33	420
Gnowangerup	884	777	16	116	909	17	926	80	1,006
Katanning	1,133	1,055	31	22	1,108	26	1,134	95	1,229
Kojonup	756	664	8	22	694	23	717	83	800
Lake Grace	450	427	13	42	482	14	496	14	510
Nyabing-Pingrup	219	215	2	48	265	7	272	7	279
Plantagenet	1,215	1,137	21	45	1,203	18	1,221	210	1,431
Tambellup	270	230	4	16	250	10	260	17	277
Wagin	683	635	15	21	671	18	689	56	745
West Arthur	407	351	4	12	367	7	374	55	429
Woodanilling	163	136	3	139	2	141	45	186
Total	11,774	10,672	291	485	11,448	240	11,688	1,480	13,168

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**No. 20—Dwellings in Statistical Divisions and Local Government Areas
Censuses, 1961 and 1966—continued**

Local government area	Census, 30 June—									
	1961	1966							Unoc- cupied dwell- ings (d)	Total dwell- ings (a)
		Occupied dwellings (b)					Non- private	Total occupied dwell- ings		
		Private								
Total dwell- ings (a)	Private house	Self- con- tained flat	Other (c)	Total						
CENTRAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION										
Beverley	556	477	7	10	494	6	500	56	556	
Brookton	319	305	11	18	334	7	341	41	382	
Bruce Rock	577	499	7	13	519	16	535	65	600	
Corrigin	539	491	10	16	517	12	529	33	562	
Cuballing	244	190	2	1	193	3	196	15	211	
Cunderdin	539	470	23	12	505	11	516	30	546	
Dowerin	345	296	2	7	305	10	315	21	336	
Goomalling	387	360	8	5	373	11	384	63	447	
Kellerberrin	581	533	9	18	560	20	580	67	647	
Kondinin	308	267	2	15	284	8	292	10	302	
Koorda	236	218	4	13	235	6	241	1	242	
Kulin	331	326	4	23	353	9	362	31	393	
Merredin	1,144	1,052	26	90	1,168	39	1,207	53	1,260	
Mount Marshall	279	291	9	17	317	12	329	7	336	
Mukinbudin	171	190	1	22	213	9	222	15	237	
Narembeen	404	343	10	16	369	10	379	25	404	
Narrogin (T)	1,144	1,154	41	28	1,223	19	1,242	81	1,323	
Narrogin	236	221	1	5	227	2	229	27	256	
Northam (T)	1,828	1,708	51	35	1,794	38	1,832	65	1,897	
Northam	(e) 712	599	3	13	615	12	627	64	691	
Nungarin	177	134	1	3	138	4	142	4	146	
Pingelly	424	368	15	5	388	7	395	39	434	
Quairading	459	403	6	13	422	5	427	39	466	
Tammin	228	202	5	5	212	5	217	29	246	
Toodyay	(e) 394	342	11	4	357	9	366	48	414	
Trayning	221	211	6	8	225	7	232	.....	232
Wandering	144	115	2	13	130	6	136	31	167	
Westonia	116	124	3	7	134	12	146	14	160	
Wickepin	349	314	7	16	337	10	347	27	374	
Williams	340	286	5	14	305	8	313	23	336	
Wyalkatchem	338	296	9	7	312	12	324	15	339	
York	(e) 710	593	24	12	629	8	637	87	724	
Total	14,780	13,378	325	484	14,187	353	14,540	1,126	15,666	
NORTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION										
Carnamah	(e) 227	214	2	12	228	11	239	3	242	
Chapman Valley	(e) 251	191	3	7	201	5	206	9	215	
Chittering	299	267	1	6	274	3	277	19	296	
Coorow	(e) 197	177	1	13	191	6	197	13	210	
Dalwallinu	(e) 572	495	11	30	536	42	578	44	622	
Dandaragan	149	134	1	34	169	6	175	1	176	
Geraldton (T)	2,672	2,627	154	138	2,919	52	2,971	236	3,207	
Gingin	356	214	8	34	256	9	265	290	555	
Greenough	(e) 482	403	2	14	419	5	424	97	521	
Irwin	175	168	4	29	201	11	212	30	242	
Mingenew	247	208	6	12	226	13	239	20	259	
Moora	766	692	22	25	739	39	778	100	878	
Morawa	304	356	7	17	380	14	394	11	405	
Mullewa	368	328	10	34	372	28	400	19	419	
Northampton	544	444	11	35	490	16	506	123	629	
Perenjori	298	278	8	27	313	8	321	16	337	
Three Springs	219	222	5	10	237	9	246	30	276	
Victoria Plains	(e) 358	337	4	10	351	17	368	24	392	
Wongan-Ballidu	490	496	11	14	521	28	549	87	636	
Total	8,974	8,251	271	501	9,023	322	9,345	1,172	10,517	
EASTERN GOLDFIELDS STATISTICAL DIVISION										
Boulder (T)	1,684	1,410	30	36	1,476	21	1,497	150	1,647	
Coolgardie	382	160	4	32	196	23	219	45	264	
Dundas	757	562	19	39	620	29	649	55	704	
Esperance	843	892	102	208	1,202	44	1,246	136	1,382	
Kalgoorlie (T)	2,809	2,193	190	129	2,512	53	2,565	233	2,798	
Kalgoorlie	2,123	1,732	45	81	1,858	37	1,895	180	2,075	
Laverton	100	36	.....	7	43	11	54	.....	54
Leonora	388	135	2	28	165	29	194	88	282	
Menzies	161	83	2	57	142	8	150	57	207	
Ravensthorpe	223	139	4	55	198	8	206	94	300	
Yilgarn	800	506	7	30	543	39	582	28	610	
Total	10,270	7,848	405	702	8,955	302	9,257	1,066	10,323	

For footnotes, see end of table.

No. 20—Dwellings in Statistical Divisions and Local Government Areas Censuses, 1961 and 1966—continued

Local government area	Census, 30 June—								
	1961	1966							
		Occupied dwellings (b)						Unoccupied dwellings (d)	Total dwellings (a)
		Private				Non-private	Total occupied dwellings		
		Private house	Self-contained flat	Other (c)	Total				

CENTRAL STATISTICAL DIVISION

Cue	199	96	2	18	116	12	128	38	166
Meekatharra	270	194	2	28	224	25	249	21	270
Mount Magnet	(e) 319	216	4	57	277	19	296	48	344
Murchison	67	28	....	4	32	17	49	....	49
Sandstone	45	33	....	5	38	5	43	6	49
Wiluna	86	52	2	3	57	7	64	10	74
Yalgoo	(e) 136	67	1	14	82	15	97	19	116
Total	1,122	686	11	129	826	100	926	142	1,068

NORTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION

Ashburton	105	76	5	10	91	23	114	1	115
Carnarvon	(e) 700	733	35	236	1,004	56	1,060	18	1,078
Exmouth	(e) 10	50	2	178	230	40	270	....	270
Shark Bay	77	57	8	21	86	12	98	11	109
Upper Gascoyne	52	50	....	5	55	27	82	....	82
Total	944	966	50	450	1,466	158	1,624	30	1,654

PILBARA STATISTICAL DIVISION

Marble Bar	97	66	2	36	104	18	122	....	122
Nullagine	34	16	....	7	23	17	40	3	43
Port Hedland	236	278	16	116	410	52	462	13	475
Roeboorne	106	100	12	53	165	29	194	....	194
Tableland	191	185	....	21	206	23	229	22	251
Total	664	645	30	233	908	139	1,047	38	1,085

KIMBERLEY STATISTICAL DIVISION

Broome	285	241	16	59	316	41	357	13	370
Halls Creek	62	45	4	18	67	39	106	....	106
West Kimberley	375	412	18	62	492	75	567	36	603
Wyndham-East Kimberley	227	309	20	137	466	52	518	23	541
Total	949	1,007	58	276	1,341	207	1,548	72	1,620

STATE SUMMARY

Perth Statistical Division	136,221	139,049	12,072	2,766	153,887	1,098	154,985	8,211	163,196
Other Divisions—									
South-West	22,324	18,398	561	444	19,403	300	19,703	4,628	24,331
Southern Agricultural	11,774	10,672	291	485	11,448	240	11,688	1,480	13,168
Central Agricultural	14,780	13,378	325	484	14,187	353	14,540	1,126	15,666
Northern Agricultural	8,974	8,251	271	501	9,023	322	9,345	1,172	10,517
Eastern Goldfields	10,270	7,848	405	702	8,955	302	9,257	1,066	10,323
Central	1,122	686	11	129	826	100	926	142	1,068
North-West	944	966	50	450	1,466	158	1,624	30	1,654
Pilbara	664	645	30	233	908	139	1,047	38	1,085
Kimberley	949	1,007	58	276	1,341	207	1,548	72	1,620
Total	71,801	61,851	2,002	3,704	67,557	2,121	69,678	9,754	79,432
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	208,022	200,900	14,074	6,470	221,444	3,219	224,663	17,965	242,628

(a) Occupied and unoccupied. (b) For definitions, see *Explanatory Notes and Definitions* on page 23. (c) Includes share of private house; share of self-contained flat; flats not self-contained; sheds, huts, tents, etc.; and dwellings such as rooms and apartments which are parts of buildings but are not self-contained. (d) See *Explanatory Notes and Definitions* on page 23. (e) Indicates those local government areas where a boundary change between the Censuses resulted in a change in the number of dwellings in the local government area; see note *Local Government Areas* on page 23.

**No. 21—Occupied Dwellings in Statistical Divisions: Class of Dwelling
Censuses, 1961 and 1966**

Statistical Division (a)	Private dwellings (b)						Total, private dwellings	Non- private dwellings (c)	Total, occupied dwellings
	Private house	Share of private house	Self- con- tained flat	Share of self-con- tained flat	Shed, hut, tent, etc.	Other			
CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1961									
Perth Statistical Division	117,397	2,258	7,287	(d)	544	815	128,301	1,187	129,488
Other Divisions—									
South-West	17,292	167	419		544	44	18,466	248	18,714
Southern Agricultural	9,716	72	205		568	20	10,581	194	10,775
Central Agricultural	12,902	146	183		577	22	13,830	267	14,097
Northern Agricultural	7,415	77	149		449	28	8,118	220	8,338
Eastern Goldfields	8,112	50	372		555	74	9,163	226	9,389
Central	778	....	7		147	....	932	83	1,015
North-West	720	4	22		81	8	835	87	922
Pilbara	487	6	12		62	1	568	75	643
Kimberley	676	8	16	114	8	822	114	936	
Total	58,098	530	1,385		3,097	205	63,315	1,514	64,829
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	175,495	2,788	8,672		3,641	1,020	191,616	2,701	194,317
CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966									
Perth Statistical Division	139,049	707	12,072	18	290	1,751	153,887	1,098	154,985
Other Divisions—									
South-West	18,398	34	561	....	308	102	19,403	300	19,703
Southern Agricultural	10,672	13	291	....	417	55	11,448	240	11,688
Central Agricultural	13,378	23	325	....	409	52	14,187	353	14,540
Northern Agricultural	8,251	16	271	....	417	68	9,023	322	9,345
Eastern Goldfields	7,848	32	405	....	556	114	8,955	302	9,257
Central	686	3	11	....	123	3	826	100	926
North-West	966	6	50	....	431	13	1,466	158	1,624
Pilbara	645	2	30	....	226	5	908	139	1,047
Kimberley	1,007	8	58	....	262	6	1,341	207	1,548
Total	61,851	137	2,002	....	3,149	418	67,557	2,121	69,678
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	200,900	844	14,074	18	3,439	2,169	221,444	3,219	224,663

(a) For component local government areas, see Table 20. (b) For definitions, see *Explanatory Notes and Definitions* on page 23. (c) See *Explanatory Notes and Definitions* on page 23. (d) Not tabulated separately. Where two or more household groups were occupying a self-contained flat they were counted as one household group occupying a self-contained flat.

No. 22—Dwellings according to Class and Persons Enumerated Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Particulars	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
	Total	Per cent of total	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Per cent of total	Increase or decrease (a) since 1961	
							Number	Per cent

NUMBER OF DWELLINGS

Occupied dwellings—								
Private dwellings—								
Private house	175,495	90.31	139,049	61,851	200,900	89.42	25,405	14.48
Share of private house	2,788	1.43	707	137	844	0.38	—1,944	—69.73
Self-contained flat	(b) 8,672	(b) 4.46	{ 12,072	2,002	14,074	6.26	{ 5,420	62.50
Share of self-contained flat								
Shed, hut, tent, etc.	3,641	1.87	290	3,149	3,439	1.53	—202	—5.55
Other private dwellings	1,020	0.52	1,751	418	2,169	0.97	1,149	112.65
Total, Private dwellings	191,616	98.61	153,887	67,557	221,444	98.57	29,828	15.57
Non-private dwellings	2,701	1.39	1,098	2,121	3,219	1.43	518	19.18
Total, Occupied dwellings	194,317	100.00	154,985	69,678	224,663	100.00	30,346	15.62
Unoccupied dwellings	13,705	....	8,211	9,754	17,965	....	4,260	31.08

PERSONS ENUMERATED (c)

Persons enumerated in—								
Private dwellings—								
Private house	652,070	88.52	500,599	235,032	735,631	87.92	83,561	12.81
Share of private house	6,909	0.94	1,756	464	2,220	0.27	—4,689	—67.87
Self-contained flat	(b) 18,977	(b) 2.58	{ 24,843	4,953	29,796	3.56	{ 10,840	57.12
Share of self-contained flat								
Shed, hut, tent, etc.	8,598	1.17	680	7,738	8,418	1.01	—180	—2.09
Other private dwellings	1,853	0.25	2,797	775	3,572	0.43	1,719	92.77
Total, Private dwellings	688,407	93.45	530,696	248,962	779,658	93.19	91,251	13.26
Non-private dwellings	43,755	5.94	27,987	24,536	52,523	6.28	8,768	20.04
Total, Occupied dwellings	732,162	99.39	558,683	273,498	832,181	99.47	100,019	13.66
Persons enumerated elsewhere—								
Campers-out	1,450	0.20	138	1,316	1,454	0.17	4	0.28
Migratory population (d)	3,017	0.41	....	3,038	3,038	0.36	21	0.70
Total population	736,629	100.00	558,821	277,852	836,673	100.00	100,044	13.58

(a) Minus sign(—) denotes decrease. (b) At the 1961 Census, 'Share of self-contained flat' was not tabulated as a separate class; where two or more household groups were occupying a self-contained flat they were counted as one household group occupying a self-contained flat. (c) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (d) Comprises persons (both passengers and crew) who, at midnight on census night, were enumerated on board ships in Western Australian ports, or ships which had left Australian ports before census night for ports in Western Australia. It includes also persons enumerated on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft.

No. 23—Occupied Private Houses and Self-contained Flats: Material of Outer Walls Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Materials of outer walls	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					Increase or decrease (a) since 1961	
	Total	Per cent of total	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Per cent of total			
							Number	Per cent	
PRIVATE HOUSES									
Brick	74,939	42.70	{ 81,812	7,554	89,366	44.48	}	25,365	33.85
Brick veneer (b)									
Stone	3,303	1.88	1,562	1,518	3,080	1.53		—223	—6.75
Concrete	4,815	2.74	2,174	2,487	4,661	2.32		—154	—3.20
Wood	29,744	16.95	12,440	13,802	26,242	13.06		—3,502	—11.77
Iron, tin	5,330	3.04	386	3,702	4,088	2.03		—1,242	—23.30
Fibro-cement	55,637	31.70	31,083	30,204	61,287	30.51		5,650	10.16
Other	1,615	0.92	141	1,097	1,238	0.62		—377	—23.34
Not stated	112	0.06	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)		(c)	(c)
Total	175,495	100.00	139,049	61,851	200,900	100.00		25,405	14.48

SELF-CONTAINED FLATS

Brick	6,579	75.86	10,382	688	11,070	78.66	}	4,722	71.77
Brick veneer (b)									
Stone	238	2.74	194	49	243	1.73		5	2.10
Concrete	156	1.80	366	46	412	2.93		256	164.10
Wood	474	5.47	287	281	568	4.04		94	19.83
Iron, tin	153	1.76	15	166	181	1.29		28	18.30
Fibro-cement	1,043	12.03	629	729	1,358	9.65		315	30.20
Other	19	0.22	8	3	11	0.08		—8	—42.11
Not stated	10	0.12	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)		(c)	(c)
Total	(d) 8,672	100.00	12,072	2,002	14,074	100.00		5,402	62.29

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (b) So described in individual census schedules. (c) In the small number of cases where material of outer walls was not stated a material was selected during processing of the 1966 Census schedules. (d) See footnote (d) to Table 21.

No. 24—Occupied Private Dwellings: Class and Number of Rooms Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Number of rooms (a) per dwelling	Censuses, 30 June—							
	1961	1966						
	Total, private dwellings	Private house	Share of private house	Self- contained flat	Share of self-con- tained flat	Sheds, huts, etc.	Other	Total, private dwellings
1	2,303	185	55	282	3	2,036	733	3,294
2	4,491	1,568	204	2,869	4	803	577	6,025
3	10,130	5,919	231	4,835	4	344	494	11,827
4	40,998	34,765	162	4,054	4	191	192	39,368
5	72,108	86,089	110	1,390	2	45	88	87,724
6	40,654	45,088	41	404	....	11	48	45,592
7	13,249	17,722	26	141	....	3	21	17,913
8	4,371	6,069	7	61	....	1	13	6,151
9	1,516	1,986	5	14	1	....	2	2,008
10 and over	1,114	1,509	3	24	(b)	5	1	1,542
Not stated	682	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Total dwellings	191,616	200,900	844	14,074	18	3,439	2,169	221,444
Average number of rooms per dwelling	5.05	5.32	3.46	3.41	3.22	1.79	2.37	5.11

(a) Includes kitchen and permanently enclosed sleepout, but does not include bathroom, toilet, pantry, laundry or storeroom. (b) In the small number of cases where the number of rooms was not stated a number was selected during processing of the 1966 Census schedules.

No. 25—Occupied Private Houses and Self-contained Flats: Number of Rooms Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Number of rooms (a) per dwelling	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
	Total	Per cent of total	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Per cent of total	Increase or decrease (b) since 1961	
							Number	Per cent
PRIVATE HOUSES								
1	108	0.06	61	124	185	0.09	77	71.30
2	1,523	0.87	854	714	1,568	0.78	45	2.95
3	5,815	3.31	3,388	2,531	5,919	2.95	104	1.79
4	37,176	21.18	23,495	11,270	34,765	17.30	—2,411	—6.49
5	70,491	40.17	62,508	23,581	86,089	42.85	15,598	22.13
6	40,173	22.89	31,706	13,382	45,088	22.44	4,915	12.23
7	13,122	7.48	11,528	6,194	17,722	8.82	4,600	35.06
8	4,314	2.46	3,681	2,388	6,069	3.02	1,755	40.68
9	1,486	0.85	1,084	902	1,986	0.99	500	33.65
10 and over	1,101	0.63	744	765	1,509	0.75	408	37.06
Not stated	186	0.11	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Total houses	175,495	100.00	139,049	61,851	200,900	100.00	25,405	14.48
Average number of rooms	5.22	....	5.30	5.36	5.32	....	....	....

SELF-CONTAINED FLATS								
1	93	1.07	239	43	282	2.00	189	203.23
2	1,147	13.23	2,527	342	2,869	20.39	1,722	150.13
3	2,764	31.87	4,170	665	4,835	34.35	2,071	74.93
4	2,891	33.34	3,567	487	4,054	28.80	1,163	40.23
5	1,143	13.18	1,113	277	1,390	9.88	247	21.61
6	403	4.65	303	101	404	2.87	1	0.25
7	107	1.23	94	47	141	1.00	34	31.78
8	50	0.58	36	25	61	0.43	11	22.00
9	29	0.33	9	5	14	0.10	—15	—51.72
10 and over	4	0.05	14	10	24	0.17	20	500.00
Not stated	41	0.47	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Total flats	(d) 8,672	100.00	12,072	2,002	14,074	100.00	5,402	62.29
Average number of rooms	3.69	....	3.37	3.67	3.41	....	....	....

(a) Includes kitchen and permanently enclosed sleepout, but does not include bathroom, toilet, pantry, laundry or store room. (b) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (c) In the small number of cases where the number of rooms was not stated a number was selected during processing of the 1966 Census schedules. (d) See footnote (d) to Table 21.

No. 26—Occupied Private Dwellings: Class and Number of Inmates Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Number of inmates per dwelling	Censuses, 30 June—							
	1961	1966						
	Total, private dwellings	Private house	Share of private house	Self-contained flat	Share of self-contained flat	Sheds, huts, etc.	Other	Total, private dwellings
1	19,877	17,588	250	4,424	15	1,423	1,331	25,031
2	43,969	45,788	245	6,061	3	820	518	53,435
3	34,372	36,454	140	2,055	....	407	174	39,230
4	38,021	40,701	96	950	....	349	91	42,187
5	27,851	30,389	49	355	....	193	31	31,017
6	15,493	17,067	32	138	....	110	14	17,361
7	6,895	7,466	19	59	....	69	6	7,619
8	3,106	3,257	12	21	....	29	2	3,321
9	1,097	1,217	....	9	....	17	....	1,243
10 and over	935	973	1	2	....	22	2	1,000
Total dwellings	191,616	200,900	844	14,074	18	3,439	2,169	221,444
Total inmates	688,407	735,631	2,220	29,796	21	8,418	3,572	779,658
Average number of inmates	3.59	3.66	2.63	2.12	1.17	2.45	1.65	3.52

No. 27—Occupied Private Dwellings: Number of Inmates and Number of Rooms per Dwelling Census, 30 June 1966

Number of inmates per dwelling	Dwellings with rooms numbering—										Total
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 and over	
PRIVATE HOUSES											
1	137	786	1,624	5,089	5,681	2,937	914	253	81	86	17,588
2	23	492	1,957	11,574	18,027	9,199	3,120	912	287	197	45,788
3	11	129	931	6,733	15,890	8,053	3,097	1,058	317	235	36,454
4	7	81	689	5,813	19,343	9,352	3,506	1,237	397	276	40,701
5	4	40	361	3,111	14,608	7,535	3,088	1,017	363	262	30,389
6	2	20	189	1,435	7,576	4,442	2,100	815	267	221	17,067
7	1	7	80	583	3,066	2,019	1,058	396	148	108	7,466
8 .....	.....	7	39	259	1,187	942	467	219	66	71	3,257
9 .....	.....	2	19	83	411	347	197	92	39	27	1,217
10 and over	.....	4	30	85	300	262	175	70	21	26	973
Total houses	185	1,568	5,919	34,765	86,089	45,088	17,722	6,069	1,986	1,509	200,900

SELF-CONTAINED FLATS											
1	217	1,334	1,535	1,031	229	45	18	13	1	1	4,424
2	46	1,305	2,268	1,770	487	125	41	10	2	7	6,061
3	15	189	671	743	307	85	26	10	3	6	2,055
4	4	34	259	356	193	71	19	5	3	6	950
5 .....	.....	5	72	107	97	42	19	8	3	2	355
6 .....	.....	2	19	31	50	18	7	10	1	.....	138
7 .....	.....	.....	9	10	17	10	7	4	.....	2	59
8 .....	.....	.....	1	2	9	7	2	.....	.....	.....	21
9 .....	.....	.....	1	3	1	1	2	.....	1	.....	9
10 and over	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	2
Total flats	282	2,869	4,835	4,054	1,390	404	141	61	14	24	14,074

OTHER PRIVATE DWELLINGS											
1	1,647	771	343	153	53	28	15	4	1	4	3,019
2	628	390	321	142	59	26	13	3	3	1	1,586
3	248	167	151	88	36	16	7	4	3	1	721
4	165	119	111	71	39	18	8	4	.....	1	536
5	79	52	67	35	33	5	.....	2	.....	.....	273
6	28	40	31	31	14	2	6	3	.....	1	156
7	21	25	19	19	4	5	1	.....	.....	.....	94
8	5	13	12	6	5	.....	.....	1	.....	1	43
9	3	6	6	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
10 and over	3	5	12	2	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	25
Total other dwellings	2,827	1,588	1,073	549	245	100	50	21	8	9	6,470

TOTAL OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS											
1	2,001	2,891	3,502	6,273	5,963	3,010	947	270	83	91	25,031
2	697	2,187	4,546	13,486	18,573	9,350	3,174	925	292	205	53,435
3	274	485	1,753	7,564	16,233	8,154	3,130	1,072	323	242	39,230
4	176	234	1,059	6,240	19,575	9,441	3,533	1,246	400	283	42,187
5	83	97	500	3,253	14,738	7,582	3,107	1,027	366	264	31,017
6	30	62	239	1,497	7,640	4,462	2,113	828	268	222	17,361
7	22	32	108	612	3,087	2,034	1,066	400	148	110	7,619
8	5	20	52	267	1,201	949	469	220	66	72	3,321
9	3	8	26	88	412	348	199	92	40	27	1,243
10 and over	3	9	42	88	302	262	175	71	22	26	1,000
Total dwellings	3,294	6,025	11,827	39,368	87,724	45,592	17,913	6,151	2,008	1,542	221,444

No. 28—Occupied Private Houses and Self-contained Flats: Number of Inmates Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Number of inmates per dwelling		Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
		Total	Per cent of total	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Per cent of total	Increase since 1961	
								Number	Per cent
PRIVATE HOUSES									
1	....	13,958	7.95	12,023	5,565	17,588	8.75	3,630	26.01
2	....	38,547	21.96	32,700	13,088	45,788	22.79	7,241	18.78
3	....	32,174	18.33	25,498	10,956	36,454	18.15	4,280	13.30
4	....	36,762	20.95	29,175	11,526	40,701	20.26	3,939	10.71
5	....	27,155	15.47	20,897	9,492	30,389	15.13	3,234	11.91
6	....	15,182	8.65	11,078	5,989	17,067	8.50	1,885	12.42
7	....	6,744	3.84	4,592	2,874	7,466	3.72	722	10.71
8	....	3,022	1.72	1,854	1,403	3,257	1.62	235	7.78
9	....	1,062	0.61	703	514	1,217	0.61	155	14.60
10 and over	....	889	0.51	529	444	973	0.48	84	9.45
Total houses		175,495	100.00	139,049	61,851	200,900	100.00	25,405	14.48
Total inmates		652,070	....	500,599	235,032	735,631	....	83,561	12.81
Average number of inmates		3.72	....	3.60	3.80	3.66	....	....	....

SELF-CONTAINED FLATS

1	2,629	30.32	3,870	554	4,424	31.43	1,795	68.28
2	3,630	41.86	5,374	687	6,061	43.07	2,431	66.97
3	1,302	15.01	1,701	354	2,055	14.60	753	57.83
4	633	7.30	743	207	950	6.75	317	50.08
5	309	3.56	237	118	355	2.52	46	14.89
6	105	1.21	93	45	138	0.98	33	31.43
7	44	0.51	34	25	59	0.42	15	34.09
8	15	0.17	13	8	21	0.15	6	40.00
9	4	0.05	5	4	9	0.06	5	125.00
10 and over	1	0.01	2	....	2	0.01	1	100.00
Total flats	(a) 8,672	100.00	12,072	2,002	14,074	100.00	5,402	62.29
Total inmates	18,977	....	24,843	4,953	29,796	....	10,819	57.01
Average number of inmates	2.19	....	2.06	2.47	2.12	....	....	....

(a) See footnote (d) to Table 21.

No. 29—Occupied Private Houses and Self-contained Flats: Nature of Occupancy Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Nature of occupancy	Private house				Self-contained flat			
	Census, 30 June—				Census, 30 June—			
	1961	1966			1961	1966		
	Total, private houses	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Total, self- con- tained flats	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total
Owner (a)	129,583	109,647	40,864	150,511	1,100	1,573	306	1,879
Tenant	41,710	27,734	17,986	45,720	7,315	10,261	1,548	11,809
Caretaker	1,784	946	1,256	2,202	163	163	61	224
Other	1,867	416	1,221	1,637	72	35	50	85
Not stated	551	306	524	830	22	40	37	77
Total	175,495	139,049	61,851	200,900	8,672	12,072	2,002	14,074

(a) Including purchaser by instalments.

No. 30—Occupied Private Houses and Self-contained Flats: Facilities Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Facilities	Private house				Self-contained flat			
	Census, 30 June—				Census, 30 June—			
	1961	1966			1961	1966		
	Total, private houses	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Total, self-con- tained flats	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total
Gas only	419	118	613	731	7	8	14	22
Electricity only	112,086	85,220	41,422	126,642	2,948	3,887	1,371	5,258
Gas and electricity	56,101	53,192	17,224	70,416	5,667	8,148	585	8,733
Neither gas nor electricity	9,401	404	2,246	2,650	33	5	15	20
Not stated	1,129	115	346	461	17	24	17	41
Total	(a) 179,136	139,049	61,851	200,900	8,672	12,072	2,002	14,074
Television set	68,424	118,066	24,482	142,548	2,514	7,653	473	8,126

(a) Includes sheds, huts, etc.

No. 31—Occupied Private Houses and Self-contained Flats: Number of Motor Vehicles (a) Census, 30 June 1966

Number of motor vehicles (a)	Private house			Self-contained flat		
	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total
No vehicle	27,465	7,872	35,337	4,372	499	4,871
1 vehicle	75,935	30,483	106,418	6,241	1,085	7,326
2 vehicles	27,719	13,657	41,376	1,008	257	1,265
3 vehicles	5,092	5,544	10,636	131	48	179
4 or more vehicles	1,100	3,233	4,333	26	18	44
Not stated	1,738	1,062	2,800	294	95	389
Total houses, flats	139,049	61,851	200,900	12,072	2,002	14,074
Total vehicles (a)	151,394	89,203	240,597	8,783	1,827	10,610

(a) Householders were asked to state 'the number of Motor Vehicles (excluding Motor Cycles and Scooters) used by members of this household that were garaged or parked at or near this dwelling for the night of Thursday, 30th June'.

No. 32—Unoccupied Private Dwellings: Reason for being Unoccupied Censuses, 1961 and 1966

Reason for being unoccupied	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
	Total	Per cent of total	Perth Statistical Division	Other Divisions	Total	Per cent of total	Increase or decrease (a) since 1961	
							Number	Per cent
For sale or for renting	2,487	18.71	1,593	1,192	2,785	15.94	298	11.98
Holiday home, week-end, seasonal workers' quarters	4,771	35.90	2,266	2,852	5,118	29.30	347	7.27
Occupants temporarily absent	3,463	26.06	1,828	1,390	3,218	18.42	—245	—7.07
To be demolished, condemned	296	2.23	187	197	384	2.20	88	29.73
Other and not stated	2,273	17.10	2,309	3,653	5,962	34.13	3,689	162.30
Total	13,290	100.00	8,183	9,284	17,467	100.00	4,177	31.43

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

No. 33—Occupied Private Tenanted Houses and Self-contained Flats (a)
Weekly Rent (unfurnished): Census, 30 June, 1966

Weekly rent (unfurnished)	Statistical Division										Western Australia
	Perth	South- West	Southern Agricul- tural	Central Agricul- tural	Northern Agricul- tural	Eastern Gold- fields	Central	North- West	Pilbara	Kim- berley	
NUMBER OF PRIVATE HOUSES											
Under \$2.00	819	509	188	304	204	191	49	12	23	39	2,338
\$2.00- \$3.99	1,320	885	217	399	208	442	59	16	19	31	3,596
\$4.00- \$5.99	2,731	847	365	668	325	504	50	40	17	17	5,564
\$6.00- \$7.99	6,025	1,160	611	926	453	236	34	57	127	26	9,655
\$8.00- \$9.99	5,539	697	417	646	493	114	4	94	48	31	8,083
\$10.00- \$11.99	2,955	212	171	186	163	69	4	57	31	30	3,878
\$12.00- \$13.99	1,990	89	59	59	74	24	1	11	22	90	2,419
\$14.00- \$15.99	904	24	20	27	20	8	....	2	11	9	1,025
\$16.00- \$17.99	420	13	11	11	12	6	....	18	1	3	495
\$18.00- \$19.99	126	3	2	2	3	....	....	3	1	2	142
\$20.00 and over	332	18	4	8	9	4	....	4	2	5	386
Not stated	1,302	349	281	619	375	223	34	75	45	71	3,374
Total private tenanted houses	24,463	4,806	2,346	3,855	2,339	1,821	235	389	347	354	40,955
Average rent	\$ 8.37	\$ 5.69	\$ 6.49	\$ 6.13	\$ 6.61	\$ 4.72	\$ 3.68	\$ 8.57	\$ 7.46	\$ 8.54	\$ 7.48
NUMBER OF SELF-CONTAINED FLATS											
Under \$2.00	193	21	15	15	3	12	2	3	1	....	265
\$2.00- \$3.99	264	22	18	33	16	51	1	....	....	1	406
\$4.00- \$5.99	235	30	17	31	18	43	....	....	1	2	377
\$6.00- \$7.99	487	45	26	65	17	12	....	5	1	5	663
\$8.00- \$9.99	565	19	26	17	12	4	....	2	2	8	655
\$10.00- \$11.99	1,047	43	24	11	17	4	....	....	....	5	1,151
\$12.00- \$13.99	1,783	23	14	6	13	7	....	1	1	1	1,849
\$14.00- \$15.99	1,009	7	10	4	2	3	....	....	1	....	1,036
\$16.00- \$17.99	359	1	2	....	8	1	....	....	....	....	371
\$18.00- \$19.99	119	4	....	....	1	3	....	....	....	....	127
\$20.00 and over	185	2	2	4	....	3	....	1	....	....	197
Not stated	527	24	11	20	17	11	2	6	2	4	624
Total private tenanted flats	6,773	241	165	206	124	154	5	18	9	26	7,721
Average rent	\$ 11.45	\$ 7.69	\$ 7.84	\$ 6.40	\$ 8.11	\$ 5.57	\$ 0.67	\$ 7.13	\$ 7.81	\$ 8.47	\$ 10.93

(a) Includes dwellings occupied by tenants of The State Housing Commission of Western Australia.

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QUARTERLY STATISTICAL ABSTRACT	June 1971	July 1971	0-20	0-27
STATISTICAL REGISTER OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA (Annual) (c):				
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ABSTRACT OF STATISTICS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS (Annual) (b)	1970	Nov. 1970	0-50	0-68

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Building Operations (a)	Quarterly	Mar. qr 1971	July 1971
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Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment	Annually	June 1966 to June 1970	Oct. 1970
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Fire, Marine and General Insurance Statistics	Annually	1969-70	Feb. 1971
Local Government Finance Statistics	Annually	1968-69	Nov. 1970
Local Government Revenue and Expenditure: Budget Estimates (a)	Annually	1970-71	Dec. 1970
Permanent Building Societies	Monthly	June 1971	Aug. 1971
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Motor Vehicle Registrations	Monthly	June 1971	Aug. 1971
Motor Vehicle Registrations (a)	Annually	1969	Aug. 1970

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Intercensal Changes in Population (a)	Irregular	1961–1966	June 1968
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Agricultural Census: Principal Statistics (preliminary statement) (b)	Annually	1970–71	July 1971
Apples and Pears in Cool Stores	Monthly	July 1971	Aug. 1971
Artificial Fertiliser Used on Rural Holdings (a)	Annually	1969–70	Mar. 1971
Bee Keeping Statistics	Annually	1969–70	Dec. 1970
Catch of Fish and Crustaceans	Monthly	Feb. 1971	Aug. 1971
Cattle and Pigs (a)	Annually	1970	Jan. 1971
Cereal Crop Forecast (c)	Annually	1970–71	Nov. 1970
Chicks Hatched and Poultry Slaughtered	Monthly	June 1971	Aug. 1971
Ewe Matings for Lambing	Irregular	1969 and 1970	Feb. 1971
Fisheries	Annually	1969–70	June 1971
Fisheries (preliminary)	Annually	1969–70	Mar. 1971
Fruit (a)	Annually	1969–70	Mar. 1971
Grain and Seed Harvesters on Rural Holdings (a)	Triennially	1970	Mar. 1971
Grain Crops and Cereal Varieties (a)	Annually	1969–70	Jan. 1971
Hay, Green Feed and Silage (a)	Annually	1969–70	Jan. 1971
Irrigation (a)	Annually	1969–70	Feb. 1971
Livestock Slaughtered and Meat Produced	Annually	1969–70	Jan. 1971
Machinery and Rural Holdings (c)	Annually	1970	Feb. 1971
Mineral Exploration	Annually	1969–70	Apr. 1971
Pasture Seed (a)	Annually	1969–70	Feb. 1971
Rock Lobsters Held in Cold Stores and Exported	Monthly	July 1971	Aug. 1971
Rural Land Utilisation (a)	Annually	1970–71	Aug. 1971
Sheep, Lambing and Wool Clip (a)	Annually	1969–70	Dec. 1970
Tractors on Rural Holdings (a)	Triennially	1969	Mar. 1970
Value of Primary Production (excluding Mining and Quarrying) (preliminary statement)	Annually	1970–71	July 1971
Vegetables (a)	Annually	1969–70	Mar. 1971
Wheat for Grain (a)	Annually	1970–71	July 1971
SECONDARY PRODUCTION—			
Factory Statistics (preliminary)	Annually	1967–68	Feb. 1969
Factory Statistics (general summary)	Annually	1967–68	July 1969
TRADE (EXTERNAL)—			
External Trade (Overseas and Interstate)	Annually	1969–70	Feb. 1971
Interstate Trade	Annually	1969–70	Nov. 1970
Quarterly Summary of Overseas Trade Statistics	Quarterly	To Mar. 1971	May 1971
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Wholesale Sales and Stocks of Wine and Brandy	Annually	1968–69 and 1969–70	Nov. 1970
GENERAL—			
Indicators of Business Activity	Monthly	Aug. 1971	Aug. 1971
Monthly Statistical Summary	Monthly	Aug. 1971	Aug. 1971
Western Australia in relation to Australia	Annually	1970–71	July 1971

(a) Includes statistics for individual local government areas.
(preliminary statement)' in issue for 1969–70.

(b) Entitled 'Rural Census: Principal Statistics
(c) Entitled 'Wheat Crop Forecast' in issue for 1969–70.

NOTE. In addition to the preceding publications, a number of bulletins which deal exclusively with this State are produced by the Commonwealth Statistician, Canberra who also issues many publications which contain particulars for Western Australia as a component of Australian totals. A complete list of all publications currently issued by the Central and the various Offices of this Bureau appears in 'Publications of the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics' issued by the Commonwealth Statistician, copies of which are available free of charge from the Western Australian Office at the address shown on page 35.

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